

LAST WEEK BEGUN
BY CONGRESSMENLIVELY TIME ANTICIPATED
FOR A DAY OR TWO.

They Will Have to Work Fast As There Are So Many Bills On The House Calendar That the Efforts to Secure Action Will Be Desperate.

Washington, Feb. 25.—To-day the house entered upon the last day of its session and the usual rush which characterizes the closing hours of every session of congress began. Under the rules the last six days of every session are suspension days and the members recognized many call-up bills and had them acted on under suspension of the rules. There are 331 public bills on the calendar, 217 of which must be considered in committee of the whole and 114 in the regular calendar. In addition to these there are over 500 bills on a private calendar. Of course only a very insignificant percentage of these bills can ever be passed, but the press for precedence will be terrific and many exciting scenes are almost sure to occur. It is quite probable that several night sessions will be held, and it is almost certain that congress will remain in session from Saturday until Monday next, on which day at noon congress expires by limitation. The regular appropriation bills are unusually well advanced, so far as the house is concerned, only one bill (the deficiency) being unacted upon, and it will go to the senate to-day. The two which are considered dangerous—that is, liable to fail or be vetoed—are the sundry civil and the diplomatic and consular. To the former the senate committee on finance has reported an amendment to the 3 per cent coin bids, with a provision requiring the secretary of the treasury to advertise for bids in case of another bond issue. To the diplomatic and consular the senate has added an amendment for the Hawaiian cable. If these provisions prevail despite the protest of the house, it is thought President Cleveland may veto them. The committee on Pacific roads is pressing for an opportunity to secure a vote on the funding bill as amended, and the committee on public buildings is equally insistent upon its demand for a chance to settle the question of the printing office site, which has been hanging fire for several years. It is probable the committee on rules will give both time during the coming week, in case opportunity offers. As a whole the week promises to be both interesting and exciting.

PROGRAM IN THE SENATE.

General Bills Outside of Appropriations Will Have Little Show.

Washington, Feb. 25.—The senate program for the remainder of the session is to follow the sundry civil bill, the consideration of which begins to-day, with the legislative, executive, and judicial bill, and then to take up the naval bill, and lastly the general deficiency appropriation bill. It is possible Senator Butler will renew his efforts in behalf of the pooling bill and that Senator George will also again attempt to restore the bankruptcy bill to its position as the unfinished business, but it is not in the least probable the efforts of either will be successful. Senator Faulkner is also hopeful of securing brief consideration of the territorial admission bills, but there is no longer a possibility of passing the bills. An order has already been made for a session to-morrow for the consideration of bills to which there are no objections. The probabilities include night sessions every night after Tuesday, continuing virtually through the nights of Saturday and Sunday and also a session next Sunday. These it is believed will be held to dispose of the appropriation bills, there being many provisions in those remaining unconsidered which may lead to prolonged debate. There is also a probability of debate over the next report of the conference committee on the diplomatic bill involving the appropriation for the Hawaiian cable. There is not much in the legislative bill to lead to debate, but the other three bills all contain provisions which if they are not withdrawn are sure to cause sharp discussion. It is intimated the certificate amendment to the sundry civil bill may be withdrawn. If it is this will simplify the situation somewhat, but there will be material for many speeches and reasons for prolonged sessions. Senators do not consider their outlook discouraging and they predict that the bills will all be passed by the time fixed by the constitution for adjournment, the 4th of March. Of the bills in conference the diplomatic and consular and fortifications bills have been partly agreed upon.

Settlement Is Progressing Slowly.

City of Mexico, Feb. 25.—In spite of all reports to the contrary, negotiations between Mexico and Guatemala are not advancing, and the delay is due to De Leon's dilatory tactics, whilst Minister Mariscal is doing all possible to hurry the matter up, though it must be confessed the case is very voluminous. De Leon asserts that he is fully empowered to arrange matters to the end, without the necessity of consulting anybody. The appointment of Senator Ransom as minister to Mexico is received here with the greatest satisfaction.

Eden the Skating Champion.

Christiana, Feb. 25.—In the skating championship contests here yesterday Eden of Holland won three events, the 10,000, 5,000, and 1,500 metres races. He also won the gold medal awarded by King Oscar. Frederickson of Norway won the 500 metres race.

Bank's Failure Causes Uneasiness.

London, Feb. 25.—The Times has a dispatch from Montevideo which says that the failure of the Italian firm of Podesio & Sons, with liabilities of \$750,000, is causing much uneasiness. South American banks are the principal creditors of the firm.

NAVAL MEN ACTIVE.

Keep Busy Discussing Designs for New Battleships.

Washington, Feb. 25.—The action of the house in accepting the recommendations of Secretary Herbert looking to the addition to the navy of three battleships and twelve torpedo boats has stirred the department officials to an unusual degree of activity, for it means much work for them during the coming summer. Already they have begun to outline roughly the main features of the vessels, and while there can be no official plans until the board of bureau chiefs have been instructed by Secretary Herbert to consider the subject, it is apparent from the expressions of the officers who will have to design the battleships that these will in general be patterned after the Iowa, the largest and most powerful of our new ships, which is now rapidly approaching completion at Cramp's. The department has always striven in each design to profit by the experience of other vessels of like type and to avoid a lavish copying of models, and while this will be the course pursued in the course of the new battleships, it is believed that the variations from the original model of the Iowa will be fewer than is usually the case. The reason for this belief is that there has been no very marked novelty of design here or abroad within two years in the case of battleships, and any changes in the Iowa's plans are likely to be matters of detail. Probably the finest battle ships in the world are those of the Royal Sovereign class which Great Britain is just putting afloat, and it is safe to say that if conditions admitted the new ships of the United States would be on their lines. But this is scarcely possible for at least two good reasons. In the first place such a ship would cost more than the limit fixed by congress, and in the second it could not enter more than two harbors on the Atlantic coast. The Iowa draws twenty-four feet of water, while the Royal Sovereign type of vessels draw twenty-seven. These British ships are of great size, having a displacement of 24,000 tons or as much as the great Atlantic liners, while the Iowa's displacement is 11,410 tons. The naval designers believe from their experience with the torpedo boats, for the building of which proposals have just been received, that with the money which is allotted for the new ships they will be able to build them larger than the Iowa, increasing the length and beam without adding to the draught.

L. A. W. Meet in July.

Asbury Park, N. J., Feb. 25.—If the racing board of the L. A. W. extends its official sanction, the annual meet of that body of wheelmen at Asbury Park this summer will take place during the second week in July. The dates fixed are July 8 to 15. There will be four days of racing, when the state and national championship will be decided. The track is to be widened to a uniform of 26 feet. The grand stand will be enlarged and the bleachers extended until they can seat 10,000 people. The wheelmen expect no difficulty in securing favorable railroad rates.

Quakers Go South.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 25.—Orders have been issued for the members of the Quakers' nine to assemble in this city on March 19. They will start at once for Hampton, Va., where the practice will begin on the very next day. The Philadelphia open the season at Washington on April 18.

Distilleries for Greenhut.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 25.—A company is being formed here for the purpose of erecting two distilleries with a capacity of 15,000 bushels each. It is understood that J. B. Greenhut is to be in charge of the company. The work is to begin at once.

Etruria Freight With Gold.

New York, Feb. 25.—The Etruria reached here Saturday with ninety-four boxes in which are \$2,000,000 in gold, for which the people of the United States have pledged their credit. The gold is a part of that which the Morgan Belmont syndicate contracted to bring from Europe.

Opposes the St. Louis Bridge.

Dubuque, Iowa, Feb. 25.—The Dubuque board of trade has adopted resolutions protesting against the construction of a third bridge at St. Louis, declaring it would be a menace to traffic of the upper Mississippi river.

Won't Have Our Cattle.

Paris, Feb. 25.—At a meeting of the cabinet council M. Gadeau, minister of agriculture, submitted a decree prohibiting the importation into France of American cattle on account of Texas fever and pleuro-pneumonia.

Shower Flowers on an Assassin.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 25.—James B. Gentry, the murderer of Madge York, has become a lion in a queer way. Women sent him flowers by the armload, together with photographs and cologne. The mawkish sentimentality is remarkable.

Latonia Track to Be Sold.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 25.—It is announced that the sale of the Latonia race track will be consummated by March 1. Matters will be so shaped that a clash between Oakley and Latonia in the future will be out of the question.

Japs Still Active.

London, Feb. 25.—The Times published a dispatch from Kobe, Japan, saying another Japanese force is being mobilized at Hiroshima for the purpose, it is supposed, of making an attack on the island of Formosa.

Dynamite Factories Robbed.

Paris, Feb. 25.—The prefecture of police has made the discovery that dynamite factories in the suburbs of Paris have recently been extensively robbed of their product. The presumption is that the thieves are anarchists.

MINERS MET DEATH
FAR UNDER GROUNDDISASTER IN A MINE DOWN IN
ALABAMA.

Fire In "Rock Slope" at Pratt City Kills Two Men and Endangered Twenty Who Were Finally Rescued—\$3,000 Worth of Mules Are Smothered.

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 25.—A fire occurred in Rock Slope of the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad company mines at Pratt city yesterday morning that resulted in the death of John Patton and Louis Stevens, two miners, and more or less serious injury to eighteen others. Twenty miners, all convicts, were in Rock Slope, near the air shaft, at 2:30 o'clock, when they detected the smell of smoke and shortly afterwards an immense volume of it came toward them from the engine room, which was between the air shaft and the cage leading out of the mine. Driven by the smoke the twenty men hurried to the air shaft and there huddled together to keep from suffocating. Meanwhile the smoke became thicker, as the fire issuing from the engine room reached seven trams just on the outside and a lot of waste and oil and burned furiously. Breathing became an affair of extreme difficulty. Twenty-three mules in the stable in the mines also felt the smoke and tried to escape and tore about, kicking one another to death. John Patton and Louis Stevens finally left the crowd at the air shaft and tried to get to the cage shaft. They never reached it, but were afterwards found dead near the engine room. One of the men had his head crushed almost into a pulp, indicating he had tried to kill himself rather than suffocate to death. Smoke seen issuing from the shaft brought help by the cage and in three hours the fire was out and the eighteen men at the air shaft brought up in a more or less serious condition from suffocation. The mules worth \$3,000, were suffocated or killed by one another's kicks.

MANY BILLS COME UP.

Lively Session of Illinois Legislature Expected This Week.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 25.—This week in the legislature promises to be full of ginger and business. The house meets at 10 a. m. to-day, but will not get down to work until Tuesday, when the senate convenes. From then on the wheels are expected to buzz in a lively manner. The Jones libel bill will come up to-morrow morning on a motion to reconsider the motion by which it was recommitted to the committee on judiciary. It is more than probable the vote will be reconsidered and the bill set forward on the calendar. The bill designed to afford newspapers some protection from punitive or exemplary damages in suits for libel based upon unintentional misstatement of facts.

The woman's suffrage bill will come up in the senate Tuesday. Brigidello's anti-cigarette bill is still in the hands of the judiciary committee. The bill prohibits unconditionally the manufacture, sale, and giving away of cigarettes.

A large number of house bills will come up on second reading. The number will include Col. Bryan's bill authorizing school districts managed by boards of education and school directors to establish and maintain kindergarten schools; McLaughlin's bill making mine inspectors of weights and measures at coal mines. Merritt's bill increases the fees for the licensing of corporations.

The senate bill making an appropriation for the rebuilding of the burned portions of the Anna Insane Hospital will come up on second reading in the house.

Wallace's bill to establish the Eastern Illinois State Normal School is on the order of first reading in the house and will reach second reading some time during the week. If the bill becomes law it is expected the new institution will be located at Mattoon.

Representative Needle's constitutional convention resolution will come up in the house during the week. It probably will be adopted.

LIVES AND TREASURE LOST.

Philadelphia People Only Can Guess at the Work of the Storm.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 25.—The losses of life at sea this winter have been greater than during any corresponding period within the recollection of the oldest shipping men along the wharves. It has been years since so many Philadelphia vessels have been lost and the local underwriters cannot attempt at this time to figure out just what number of policies they will have to pay, as it is contended that the full and worst results of the recent storms have not yet come to light. Eleven ships are now overdue at this port.

Woodruff Finally Found Guilty.

Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 25.—The jury in the case of ex-State Treasurer William E. Woodruff reached a verdict Saturday night, finding him guilty and assessed his punishment at one year in the penitentiary. The prosecution has cost the state nearly \$50,000. He has been tried three times. Woodruff's bondsmen have paid into the state treasury \$109,000 on account of his default.

Catholic Bishop in New Field.

Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 25.—The Rt. Rev. John A. Watterson, bishop of the Columbus diocese, addressed a big meeting of the Y. M. C. A. yesterday. This was the first time in the history of the association that a Catholic clergyman had addressed a meeting under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., and it attracted widespread attention. The bishop spoke on "Christian Citizenship."

ZOLLINGER SLAIN
BY UNKNOWN MENMYSTERIOUS MURDER AT
NEWTON, IOWA.

Found Unconscious at His Own Door and Dies Without Being Able to Reveal the Identity of the Assassin—Other Criminal News of the Northwest.

Newton, Iowa, Feb. 25.—J. R. Zollinger, a merchant of this city, was brutally murdered Saturday night. A little after 9 o'clock his wife and daughter heard his footstep on the porch, and opening the door found him in a dazed condition. He was able to tell them some one had struck him, but before he could reveal more he lost consciousness and died a few hours afterward. A wound on the top of his head indicates he had received a heavy blow there, and a club found on the sidewalk near the house appears to have been the weapon used. The walk is spattered with blood from there to the house. The affair is shrouded in mystery, as no motive has yet appeared for the deed. He had about \$60 in his pocket, but that was not taken.

TRIED TO KILL HIS WIFE.

A. G. Walker Then Ends His Own Life at Terre Haute, Ind.

Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 25.—A. G. Walker, secretary of the Hudnut Milling company, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself through the heart. Before doing so he fired three shots at Mrs. Walker, neither of which struck her. He had two revolvers and used one to shoot at his wife and the other to kill himself. He had been ill for several days and was taking medicine for pains in the head. He leaves three children. Mrs. Walker is the daughter of Theodore Hudnut, the founder of the Hudnut Milling company and the founder of the Hudnut Milling company.

Damaging Testimony to Mayor Hillis.

Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 25.—At the investigation of Mayor Hillis Saturday Ald. McDermery said last fall the council passed a resolution permitting pool selling. He showed it to the mayor and the mayor said unless the wheel of fortune would be allowed to run also he would not sign it. Council of Hillis say they will impeach the veracity of McDermery.

Two Boilers Explode at Elwood, Ind.

Elwood, Ind., Feb. 25.—Two boilers in the new addition to the American Tinplate factory were blown up by a natural gas explosion last evening. No one was injured by the explosion. The main plant will continue, about 200 men being laid off as a result of the explosion.

Two Killed by a Train at Mansfield, O.

Mansfield, Ohio, Feb. 25.—Ella and Fred Brooks were crossing the Baltimore and Ohio track near this place yesterday when they were struck by a freight train and ground to pieces. They were aged respectively 19 and 20 years.

BANK ROBBERS DEFIANT.

Burglars, for Whom a Reward Is Offered, Hidden in Mountains.

Thomaston, Conn., Feb. 25.—By offering \$2,000 reward the selectmen here to capture the three burglars who cracked the safe of the savings bank and bagged about \$2,000 in cash and \$4,000 worth of bonds and notes. Three Italians answering to the description given by the savings bank watchman, were seen driving toward the mountains with their horses in a perfect lather shortly after the robbery. Seven detectives started yesterday morning for the mountains. They had hardly entered the rocky cut when from a stone hut between two massive boulders a volley of shots was fired. At the same time a voice thundered out, "Leave us if you value your life." The posse retreated, and it was found that two of the detectives had been shot, receiving flesh wounds. On the way back to the village a bag of stolen silver was found. At night a party of twenty-five heavily armed men left her to endeavor to capture them by strategy. Otherwise they will shoot dead on sight the men in the mountains. There is little doubt in the minds of the officers that these men are the safe blowers.

In Aid of Destitute.

New York, Feb. 25.—A most novel entertainment is being given on West Fifty-seventh street to-day in aid of the destitute sick people now being cared for by the diet kitchens, which have done so much this winter for the relief of the poor. Many prominent society women are taking part in the entertainment, rendering musical selections, plantation songs and dances. Tea is served by young Japanese girls and the cups are carried away by the guests as souvenirs.

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WILL END IN SUPREME COURT.

Crisis in Political Affairs in the Hoosier State.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 25.—The legislature seems to have decided to lock horns with Gov. Matthews and precipitate a fight that can end only in the Supreme court of the state. The appointing power for the boards that control the state benevolent institutions now rests with the governor and the legislators are for taking the appointing power out of the hands of the governor and for putting all state institutions under the control of republican boards. The republican caucus has twice met and voted to take the appointing power from the governor, and there will be another vote taken at the final caucus to-day. The action of this caucus, it is generally believed, will practically decide the fate of the party two years hence, when a United States senator is to be elected. To make the matter serious Gov. Matthews has given out that the contemplated move of the legislature is unconstitutional, and that he will refuse to issue commissions to the men who will be named by the board which it proposes to create and that he will carry the matter to the Supreme court. Many leading lawyers believe that the governor will win if he is forced to the courts. Only eleven more days remain of the legislative session, and practically nothing has been done on account of the political storm that has raged over the heads of the majority.

YELLOW JACK ON RAMPAGE.

A General Quarantine Against Chili and Peru May Be Ordered.

New York, Feb. 25.—The Herald's special cable from Panama says: "Quayalqui, Ecuador, advises state that an epidemic of yellow fever is raging there. The two sons of the Spanish consul in that city, Senor Rodriguez Rubi, died of the fever on the same day. Quarantine has been put on Peruvian and Chilean ports and south-bound steamers do not stop there at all. In order to avoid a general quarantine a strict censorship over cable and mail dispatches and the newspapers is being exercised. The Venezuelan consul here, whose exequatur was withdrawn at the request of the Colombian government a few days ago, was arrested in Colon Thursday charged with complicity in the uprising in the local garrisons. He supplied the revolutionists with rifles similar to those used by the United States marines and the infantry. A cargo of arms which was received from New York on the steamer Finance was forwarded to Savannah Thursday."

ANXIOUS FOR WAR.

Outbreak of the Coahuila Expected Near Indo, Cal.

Indo, Cal., Feb. 25.—There is every prospect of war between the two factions of the tribe of Coahuila Indians as to which shall occupy the reservation near Indo. Cabazon, the hereditary chief, is nearly 80 years old and when the reservation was managed by Agent Rust Cabazon refused to correct alleged abuses in the relations between the Indians and the agent. Accordingly Joaquin Torres rebelled and with a number of followers established a separate camp across the valley. There has been continual quarrelling between adherents of the rival chiefs and in settling recent disputes the present Indian agent, Francisco Estudillo, sentenced Anton Razan, one of Cabazon's lieutenants, to five days' work for Torres. Cabazon's followers are preparing to resist efforts to arrest Razan. They are armed with rifles and ammunition and have a large supply of whisky. The young Indians are eager for war and trouble is predicted if the orders concerning Razan are not rescinded.

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Executive Committee Had Predicted That 8000 Would Lay Down Their Tools But Only Fell Short 5000 On Their Calculations—Builders Are Alarmed.

New York, Feb. 25.—Three thousand men, employed in building, struck this morning. This was a part of the regular program but the men who left were not as numerous as had been expected. The executive committee of the Building Trades, which has charge of the proposed general strike in sympathy with the electrical workers, announces that it will call out more men to-day. It was stated that preparations had been made to order strikes on twenty buildings to-day. These twenty strikes would bring out about 8,000 men. The bricklayers, who never join in any sympathetic strikes, will also be made idle through the strikes in the other trades, as has been the case of the buildings where strikes are already ordered. The contractors admit that the situation is serious.

Shot Fired From Ambush.

Richmond, Ind., Feb. 25.—John Rikel was arrested here yesterday charged with attempting to shoot Jacob Miner. They are neighbors and there has been a grudge between them for some time. Yesterday afternoon while Miner and his wife were sitting at home a rifle ball crashed through the door, narrowly missing Mrs. Miner. Smoke was seen arising from Rikel's barn, and presently he was seen going from it to the house. The affair was soon noised abroad, and resulted in Rikel's arrest. An old rifle bearing the appearance of having been discharged recently was found in his possession.

Whitcaps at Work.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 25.—Indignant citizens of West Indianapolis publicly whitewashed Jim Shoemaker in broad daylight yesterday afternoon. Shoemaker's mother died two weeks ago, and the coroner declared her death was hastened by neglect on the part of her son. Public indignation resulted in the action of yesterday. When it was thought he had been sufficiently thrashed Shoemaker was released with the injunction never to show his face in that part of the city again.

Dismiss Cass County Contests.

Virginia, Ill., Feb. 25.—The Cass county election contests on sheriff, commissioner and superintendent of schools were dismissed by agreement Saturday night. Eight precincts out of sixteen in Cass county were recounted, showing no material change, but Congressmen-elect Downing's attorneys claim a gain of ten votes. Gen. Rinaker's attorneys claim a gain of fourteen votes so far as the Sixteenth Congressional district contest is concerned.

Santa Fe Line Starts a Rate War.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 25.—The Santa Fe has given notice to the inter-state commerce commission that, beginning to-day, the second-class rate from Los Angeles and other Southern California points to Chicago will be cut \$2.50, making the rate \$50. This move was brought about by the action of other lines leading to the east in cutting rates to Chicago and other eastern points, notwithstanding the new Western trunk line passenger agreement entered into a short time ago. This action brings the matter to a head and is a declaration of open war.

Government's Statement Is Denied.

Caracas, Venezuela, Feb. 25.—The government announces that some bandits have been defeated near Cory and that the entire band was captured. Other reports say this statement is untrue. In fact, a body of revolutionists simply retreated or withdrew to Areu, where it joined another body of rebels and that the combined forces are menacing Areu.

Disastrous Fire Visits Flint.

Flint, Mich., Feb. 25.—A serious fire visited Flint last night. About 6 o'clock fire was discovered in the upper story of the Allen sanitarium and as some of the hydrants were frozen the flames had gained control before water was obtained, and the entire building with most of its contents was consumed. The loss will be about \$10,000; insurance, \$2,000.

Ohio Miners Need Outside Aid.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 25.—The committee investigating under the direction of Gov. McKinley the condition of the unemployed in the Hocking Valley and other Ohio coal regions will report this week. They found much suffering and destitution existing and that outside relief is absolutely necessary to enable the miners to become self supporting. The Cincinnati chamber of commerce will resume its efforts for relief.

Yale May Not Meet Englishmen.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 25.—Knight B. Wade, president of the Yale Athletic Association and president of the Intercollegiate Track Athletic Association, declares that the chances are small for Yale meeting a visiting English track team this summer. He says: "The Yale team is a trifle weak this year, and we shall make no attempt to arrange a meet."

Spanish Leader Is Ill.

London, Feb. 26.—A dispatch from Paris says that Senor Manuel Ruiz Zorrilla, the noted Spanish republican who recently started from Paris on his return to Spain after many years of exile, has had a stroke of paralysis. The republicans of Madrid and elsewhere had planned to give him a great reception upon his arrival.

LADIES pure shell side and back on at F. C. Cook & Co's.

FROZEN HYDRANTS ARE QUITE PLENTY

A GRAVE DANGER CONFRONTS THE CITY.

Chief Engineer Spencer Recommends Buying Or Borrowing a Chemical Engine to Guard Against Losses Where There is No Water For the Steamer.

Quite a few hydrants have been found to be frozen lately, and the council will meet tonight, to talk over Chief Spencer's recommendation that a chemical engine be bought or borrowed to provide against serious loss in case of a fire while the frozen hydrants are useless.

The danger, while it is grave, is not thought to be alarming, but it is believed that it should be coped with at once, as every remedy at the command of the fire department and the water company has been used with but partial success, to keep the hydrants open and the mains from freezing.

The extreme cold weather which has prevailed the past few weeks has had a very serious effect on the water service, not only closing numerous services in dwellings, but many fire hydrants as well, have been rendered unserviceable for a time by frost and ice.

While the officers of the fire department, aided by the superintendent of the water works, have been at work day and night in order to prevent, as far as possible, any trouble in case of fire, the danger is not over, and will not be until the frost leaves the ground.

Last Wednesday evening a number of hydrants in the center of the city were found closed with ice, while many others were so frozen that the greatest care had to be used in opening the valves in order to prevent breaking, and as soon as a frozen hydrant was discovered it was thawed out with steam. On Thursday a careful inspection was made of the fire hydrants in the fire limits by Superintendent Mitchell of the water company, and Chief Engineer Spencer. A large number of hydrants were found stuck and others frozen. This fact was reported verbally to Alderman Child, chairman of the fire and water committee on Thursday evening, and later to Mayor Thoroughgood. The only action taken was to direct the chief engineer to use every means at his command to keep the hydrants open. Friday additional trouble presented itself, and the chief engineer reported the facts in writing to Chairman Child as follows, its publication being requested by the council.

Chemical Engines Recommended.
FEBRUARY 22, 1895. ALDERMAN C. D. CHILD, CHAIRMAN COMMITTEE ON FIRE AND WATER: DEAR SIR:—I now hand you in writing the substance of the verbal report I made you last evening in relation to the condition of the water service, and the suggestions I made to avoid, as far as possible, dangers that may possibly result from our present condition.

As I informed you, the frost is now down to the water mains; the temperature of the past few weeks being the lowest that has occurred in this locality since the establishment of the water works; this extreme cold has had the effect to contract the metal valves of the fire hydrants, many are "stuck" and a few are frozen, of which I called your attention. The greatest trouble is to be feared when the frost leaves the ground, when, if the water mains have been frozen sufficient to crack the iron, they will open up the first time pressure is applied after the ground is thawed out. Hydrants that are frozen so that the valves are "stuck" will be almost useless in case of fire, and it will require much valuable time to release the valves, besides the great danger of breaking the "stems." I have done everything within my power to prevent any trouble, and have been ably assisted by the managers of the water company, who are constantly watching the mains and hydrants, and using every means in their hands to avoid trouble on account of frost. Fearing, that we may be caught without appliances to extinguish fires in case of any trouble as above noted, I would suggest that the city procure at once a chemical engine. I am assured that such an engine can be easily secured at once, and it can be put in service temporarily with very little cost.

I wish to be thoroughly understood in making this statement to you, that I do not wish to create any alarm among our property owners, but these conditions now confront us, and I can see no other safe remedy. Therefore, I would suggest that you cause a meeting of the committee to be held at once, and if necessary a meeting of the council, that this matter may be considered and thoroughly understood, and then, if deemed proper, a committee appointed to act. I would not give this any more publicity than is necessary, and would also suggest that the deliberations of the committee and council be kept quiet. Very truly yours,
JOHN C. SPENCER,
Chief Engineer.

Many Hydrants Were Closed.
This resulted in Mayor Thoroughgood calling the council together at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon. The matter was considered, but some of the aldermen expressed doubts as to future danger, and were reluctant even to attempt to borrow a chemical engine. The chief engineer was directed to examine all the hydrants, and ascertain further facts. The examination outside the fire limits revealed a worse state of affairs than inside. Nearly

every hydrant was fast, and a large number were frozen tight. These were scattered in different parts of the city. In two or three places the mains will have to be dug up in order to get at the frozen pipe. All the hydrants on Ruger avenue were thus closed and rendered useless, also a number on Milwaukee avenue; in Riverview Park; on Glen street and Fifth avenue; at Kent's corn planter works; and on Prospect avenue. The hydrants in front of The Gazette office, at Hancock & Sheldon's, and in front of S. C. Burnham & Co's., were frozen tight but were thawed out on Friday night. Last night the one at Burnham's was again tight, but the pressure finally opened it. The hydrant at Ravine and Madison street; at Chatham and Ravine; and Palm and Ravine were disabled. The hydrant at Wall and Madison and at Gold and Center were also fast. The main at Gold and North streets was tight with ice and will have to be dug up and repaired, the pipe being broken by the ice. The hydrants at North and Center avenue and Union street and Center avenue were thus disabled. The hydrant at Gold street and Western avenue was also frozen tight and the one at Washington avenue and Center avenue was similarly affected.

More Danger To Come.
The examination did not conclude until Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, at which time Superintendent Mitchell put his force at work with a steamer thawing out the hydrants. Chief Spencer also put the traction engine at work thawing out, and by 8 o'clock last evening all the hydrants had been cleared except those on Gold street, Ruger avenue and Riverview park, where in each instance considerable digging will be required, and perhaps the removal of the mains will be necessary.

Chairman Child with Mayor Thoroughgood and Aldermen Winslow and Hedges held a consultation Sunday afternoon, to whom Chief Spencer emphasized his suggestions made to the committee on Friday. He insisting that there was more danger to come and that the frost would not cease troubling the hydrants until the ground ceased freezing on top, and that where the mains had been frozen, trouble would develop when the frost was thawed out and pressure applied, as the cracked pipe would then part. It will be necessary to shut off water in large sections to make these repairs, and the chief insists that there being no water in the outlying districts for use by the steam fire engine, a chemical engine is the only safety. He also maintains that a chemical engine is a good thing to have at any time, as it would give good protection to resident property which cannot be reached by the water works; besides it would be able to extinguish a large percentage of fires without damage by water, thereby proving a paying investment for the people. The chief was directed to report further details to the council this evening, when some definite action will undoubtedly follow.

LONG RUN FOR A SMALL FIRE.

Lucky It Was a Small One. For the Nearest Hydrant Was Frozen.

The alarm of fire from box 23, at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, called the department to the Monterey woolen mills. A small fire was making slow progress in the shingle roof of a small frame house at the foot of Palm street, owned by the Cotton company and occupied by Charles Schultz; but it was extinguished with but trifling damage to the property. Box 23 is located at the big factory, covering also the lower cotton factory, as well as a large number of dwellings; so the fire department urged their teams to their full speed.

County Coroner Richard O'Donnell says the department arrived in four minutes after the box was pulled. Considering the distance traveled is fully one mile and a half, the distance was covered in remarkably quick time. It was lucky for all concerned that the fire was in shingle to extinguish with chemicals, as the hydrant nearest the fire was found to be frozen.

ELLISON ILLINOIS' CHAMPION.

Won First Place in the Amateur Tournament at Chicago.

Clem Ellison, who used to live here, is now the duly accredited amateur billiard champion of the state of Illinois. He fairly earned the title Friday night by defeating Frank Rice in the decisive game of the tournament given by the Brunswick-Balke-Culver company, in Chicago. With the title went an elaborate diamond badge which is the personal property of the winner. Ellison won seven games and lost none. The Chicago Tribune and Inter-Ocean each printed his picture in the Sunday papers and complimented him highly.

JAMES HUNT SENT TO PRISON.

Was Tried For An Attempted Assault On Judge Johnson.

Judge Russell sentenced James Hunt to three years in state prison for making an attempt to assault Miss Lucile Rockwell last spring. Miss Rockwell lives in the town of Cold Spring, Johnson county, and at the time of the assault she was returning from the Normal school at Whiteside. The case was tried at Jefferson.

BADGER SAYS HE'S A CANDIDATE

Young Man Who Lost An Arm, Would Like To Be City Clerk.

Arthur E. Badger, the young man who lost an arm while fixing a belt on the lower cotton mill last November, announces himself as a candidate for city clerk nomination for the office of city clerk.

THE Y. M. C. A. "GYMN" WILL BE COMPLETE

SPECIFICATIONS ARE NOW BEING FIGURED ON.

The Outfit Will Cost About \$1,800 and Nothing Will Be Lacking—List Of the Apparatus To Be Bought—Fine Bowling Alley, Lockers, Etc.

When the gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A. building is fitted up it will be complete in every detail. The rooms are finely arranged and will be supplied with all modern conveniences. The committee who have this part of the work in charge are now figuring on the outfit. The estimated cost is \$1,800. The specifications now being made comprise the following apparatus:

Wrist roll.
Finger machine.
Wrist machine.
Nine chest weight machines.
One 5x5 mat.
Spring board, jumping stand and 8x5 mat.
Adjustable ladder.
Parallel bars with 8x5 and 3x5 mats.
Brest bars.
Striking bag with new adjustable drum.
Two double inter-coastal exercising machines.

Two double giant pulleys.
Indian clubs and dumb bells.
Horizontal bar, with 5x15 mat.
Flying rings with 5x10 mat.
Quarter circle machine.
Medicine ball rack.
Peg poles.
Vaulting bar with 5x8 mat.
Vaulting horse with 5x8 mat.
Hitch and kick apparatus.
Rope ladder.
Climbing rope.
Traveling parallel.
Inclined plank and seven traveling rings.

In addition to the outfit there will be a complete bowling alley. Seventy-five lockers will be built for the use of the gymnasts and there will be wash-rooms, etc., in plenty. The Y. M. C. A. gymnasium will be a credit to the town and an institution in which any citizen can take pride.

GOT \$50 FOR A BROKEN PROMISE

Mrs. Sarah Townsend's Suit Against Robert Grant Was Successful.

Judge Bennett tried some interesting cases during the term of court at Jefferson. Sarah Townsend's suit against Robert Grant resulted in a verdict of \$50 for the plaintiff. Her suit was for \$10,000 damages for breach of promise. Both parties have had previous matrimonial experience and have reached the age of sixty and sixty-eight respectively. Mrs. Townsend claimed that the defendant proposed marriage to her in March, 1894, and the time for the wedding was set for the following September, the defendant wishing to wait eight months after the death of his first wife. In August of the same year he married his servant girl, and the plaintiff, when she learned of the betrayal of her affections, sought relief in the shape of \$10,000. The defendant denied that he had ever proposed marriage to the plaintiff, and maintained that he had only asked her to become his housekeeper.

PRICES IN JANESVILLE MARKETS

Quotations On Grain and Produce as Reported For the Gazette.

Range of prices in the local market. Quotations corrected daily by Frank Gray:

Wheat—No. 2 at 90 per bushel.
Wheat—Good to best quality 85@90.
Barley—No. 2 at 80 per bushel.
Rye—No. 2 at 70 per bushel.
Corn—No. 2 at 60 per bushel.
Oats—No. 2 at 50 per bushel.
Clover—No. 1 at 10 per ton.
Hay—No. 1 at 15 per ton.
Timothy—No. 1 at 18 per ton.
Sorghum—No. 1 at 12 per ton.
Molasses—No. 1 at 10 per barrel.
Syrup—No. 1 at 12 per barrel.
Lard—No. 1 at 10 per barrel.
Butter—No. 1 at 12 per barrel.
Eggs—No. 1 at 10 per dozen.
Honey—No. 1 at 12 per gallon.
Apples—No. 1 at 10 per bushel.
Oranges—No. 1 at 12 per bushel.
Lemons—No. 1 at 10 per bushel.
Grapes—No. 1 at 12 per bushel.
Pears—No. 1 at 10 per bushel.
Plums—No. 1 at 12 per bushel.
Cherries—No. 1 at 10 per bushel.
Strawberries—No. 1 at 12 per bushel.
Raspberries—No. 1 at 10 per bushel.
Blackberries—No. 1 at 12 per bushel.
Currants—No. 1 at 10 per bushel.
Gooseberries—No. 1 at 12 per bushel.
Huckleberries—No. 1 at 10 per bushel.
Blueberries—No. 1 at 12 per bushel.
Raspberries—No. 2 at 10 per bushel.
Blackberries—No. 2 at 12 per bushel.
Currants—No. 2 at 10 per bushel.
Gooseberries—No. 2 at 12 per bushel.
Huckleberries—No. 2 at 10 per bushel.
Blueberries—No. 2 at 12 per bushel.

THE PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT.

The Claghorn Reading Circle, at M. M. Rungey's residence, 331 St. Mary's avenue.

MEMORIAL LODGE NO. 318, Knights of Honor, in the Jackson block.

GRAND LODGE NO. 22, Knights of Pythias, at Castle hall.

JANESVILLE LODGE NO. 35, F. and A. M., at Masonic hall.

The Barbers Union, at Central Labor hall.

All Labor Union meeting, at Central Labor hall.

Interestam entertainers, at the opera house.

Common Council, at the city hall.

The Last Effort.

This week will end your opportunity to get those \$12 suits for \$6, \$4 and \$3 pants for \$2, 75 cent boys knee pants for 35 cents, 35 cent all wool lounge hose for 19 cents, a pig linen collar and cuffs for 10 cents. We have an immense line of spring clothing and will put it on the market Monday morning. Frank Baack, 7 & 9 S. River.

STEAMERS ON POTTER'S LAKE.

Ferries Will Be Used To Take People Across the C. & N. W. Pond.

Ticket Agent Charles Potter has let the contract to Captain Buchholz to run a steamer on "Potter's Lake" for the purpose of transferring passengers from Academy street to the depots. This beautiful lake which is situated on the northwestern depot will be stocked with fish in the spring.

EX-GOV. PECK IS PRESIDENT

He Is Connected With Orange Williams' Company at Milwaukee.

Ex-Gov. George W. Peck has been made president of the reorganized and enlarged Septicide Medicine company, of which Orange Williams, who lived here many years, is secretary and general manager. The capital stock has been increased from \$50,000 to \$100,000.

TO-DAY'S TERSE TOWN TALES

The Henney buggies, phaetons and road cars have stood the test for years; and each year become better. They always take first premiums at the fairs, as was the case here last fall; and the beauty of them is they are much cheaper in price than any competition. We handle them. F. A. Taylor.

We sell clothing on its merits, and never make any representations we can't back. That clothing at 7 and 9 South River street, at 50 cents on the dollar, is better than several stocks of clothing in Janesville, which is trying to be sold at 100 cents on the dollar. Frank Baack.

Do you want \$10 in gold? Would you pick it up on the street? The proposition we make is just like finding it. Make the most words out of "Cuticura, P. & E. O. P. O.," and you will get \$10 in gold April 1. Prentice & Evenson.

F. A. TAYLOR, the implement dealer will handle the Henney buggies, carriages, phaetons, road carts, etc. this season, and will be able to beat any priced named in the country. A fine road cart for about \$18 or \$20.

All we ask of you is to look at all the other makes of buggies, then at the Henney. No words will be necessary for you to see the superiority of this fine vehicle. F. A. Taylor.

If you need any drugs, prescriptions or anything else in our line, buy it of us this week and get a beautiful souvenir free. Emblems of all secret orders on calling cards. Smith's Pharmacy.

Last week of our bankrupt sale of heavy clothing at 50 cents on the dollar. Monday we will turn our attention to spring goods. Frank Baack, 7 and 9 South River street.

WANTED—to rent—between now and March 1, a medium-sized house, centrally located. Place with barn preferred. F. A. Taylor, the implement man.

Those who have used the Henney product of vehicles will have no other. Thousands will testify to this fact. F. A. Taylor.

Be sure you are in Lloyd's, 35 West Milwaukee street, this week. If you are not sure ask. Shoes 25 per cent less than cost.

The handsomest line of neckties ever seen in the city for 25 cents are on sale at Ziegler's today and this evening.

Costumes for the Concordia masquerade can be had Tuesday, February 26, room 3 Bennett block, at reasonable rates.

The Concordians have secured the Chicago Marine band to entertain their patrons with some of their choice music.

Smoke Cabinet cigars, acknowledged 10 cent leaders. Sole agents W. G. Palmer & Son, 51 West Milwaukee street.

CANISTER sweepers \$1.50 at Dunn Bros., same as you pay the furniture stores \$2.25 and \$2.50 for.

THIRTY dozen carpet sweepers will be sold by us for \$1.50 each, regular \$2.50 sweepers. Dunn Bros.

Why pay \$2.50 for a carpet sweeper when we will sell you the same kind for \$1.50 Monday? Dunn Bros.

MAKES wood \$5 a cord. Janesville Coal Company.

CANISTER sweeper sale at Dunn Bros. Monday \$1.50 each.

MAKES wood \$5 a cord. Janesville Coal Company.

Orders taken for artists' card work of all kinds. Smith's Pharmacy.

See Smith's window.

A Needed Distinction.

She—I think there ought to be some distinctive title by which married men could be distinguished from unmarried ones, as women are designated by Miss and Mrs.

He—Well, a married man might be called "Mr." and an unmarried one "master."

She—I don't like the word master; it lacks dignity, and you know in the old times it was applied principally to persons of low degrees.

He—But it is so eminently a proper term.

She—I don't see just why.

He—Of course, you do. Don't you know that a man is never master after he is married?—Detroit Free Press.

Made a Sad Mistake.

She was ordering a pair of bicycle bloomers from a man dressmaker who had formerly catered exclusively to the male trade.

WAR STILL RAGES DOWN AT CLINTON

DISCREET MEN CAN GET A LITTLE WHISKY EVEN NOW.

Two Drunks Who Were Put In the Lockup Along With Five Tramps Have a Jolly Good Fight and Then Break Jail As Well As the Law.

Clinton is still in the throes of the liquor war. It was only a few days ago that the barn belonging to a prominent temperance man was burned under suspicious circumstances and since then they have found more evidence that whisky is sold in the town. The evidence came in the form of two drunks, Hans Peterson and Ole Eghetson, who grew so hilarious and troublesome that they were promptly arrested by Marshal Dan Shimeal. They were locked up in the "cooler" that held Matt Bitson on the memorable day when the posse brought that gentleman "into camp" and when searched a quart bottle of whisky was found in their possession.

In the same room with the drunks five tramps were quartered and almost before Marshal Shimeal had turned his back things began to grow warm. One word led to another, and one of the drunks who had just been searched produced a revolver that had been overlooked in going through his pockets, and threatened to blow a "bum" into kingdom come. They finally settled their differences without bloodshed, however, and then all hands set about to figure out some way to improve upon their present condition. They were quite successful in this respect, for when the constabulary came around in the morning to take their prisoners into court, they found the door of the lockup lying in the middle of the street while the occupants were missing.

Today's Bill of Fare.

Misses' heel rubbers.....15c
At Misses' wedge rubbers, best.....25c
Child's wedge rubbers, best.....25c
Women's low cut rubbers, warranted.....30c
Women's Goodyear glove rubbers, light weight.....40c
Women's Bay state storm rubbers.....40c
Women's goodyear glove storm rubbers.....50c
Men's Goodyear rubbers.....50c
Men's heavy weight rubbers.....60c
Men's low cut fine rubbers.....65c
Men's Goodyear glove storm rubbers.....90c

These prices are ground down for your benefit. We want to sell you goods. BROWN BROS. & LINCOLN.

We wish to state to our patrons that One Minute Cough Cure is a safe and reliable remedy for children troubled with croup, colds, hoarseness and lung troubles. It is pleasant to take, and quickly cures. C. D. Stevens.

Shoe Sale Extraordinary.

We have sold a pile of shoes this month and lost money, but to make room for spring goods now arriving, we will make extra efforts for the next three days. Any shoe in the house goes at 25 per cent less than we paid. We mean just what we say, and on every dollar's worth we sell for the next three days will receive but 75 cents. Come and see. It will do you no harm and if we are telling the truth you can make money.

LLOYD & SON, 57 W. Milwaukee.

Promptness is a commendable virtue. That's why we offer you One Minute Cough Cure. It is prompt in relief and prompt in curing. That is what it is made for. C. D. Stevens.

Merchant Tailoring.

We are agents for Royal Tailors, Chicago. Our spring samples are now in.

Suits cut to your order \$16.
Overcoats cut to your order \$14.
Pants cut to your order \$4.

T. J. ZIMMER.

A gentleman of this county who has excellent judgment, remarked to us the other day that he knew of no pill so good for constipation, dyspepsia and liver complaint as De Witt's Little Early Risers. C. D. Stevens.

Maple Wood \$5 Per Cord.

Some of our friends say it is poor wood but just try a cord and you will find it the best maple wood that has been shipped into Janesville for years. Come and see it.

JANESVILLE COAL CO.,

J. E. Gansley, Manager.

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Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair.

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Figure Grap. Cream of Tartar Powder. Fire safe. Ammonia. Alum. or any other adulterant.

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We can Collar and Cuff any man in America

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They are the top notch of comfort, neatness and economy. They will go through the day with you in good shape, no matter how hot or how busy you get. You can clean one yourself in a minute, without dependence on busy wives, unskillful hired girls or uncertain and distant laundries. Simply wipe them off.

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If your dealer should not have them, we will send you a sample postpaid on receipt of price. Collars 25c each. Cuffs 50c pair. Give size, and specify stand-up or turned-down collar as wanted.

THE CELLULOID COMPANY,

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Several gentlemen were standing on the corner of Harlem avenue when one of the most fashionable ladies of that part of New York passed on the sidewalk.

"Ah!" exclaimed one of the gentlemen, "what a complexion. There is nothing to beat it in Harlem. I am proud of that woman, I am."

"Are you her husband?" asked a stranger.

"No, sir."

"Her father, then?"

"No sir; I am no relation of hers, but I am proud of her complexion. I am the druggist who sold it to her. I make it myself."—Alex Sweet, in Texas Sittings.

A Risky Journey.

Indian Chief (to prisoner)—You say you are a foreign tourist?

Prisoner—Yes.

"And you have a title?"

"Yes."

"And you are unmarried?"

"Yes."

"Well; I will let you go; but you will have to run the gantlet of American heiresses all the way from Denver to New York."—N. Y. Weekly.

A Contrast.

"Full many a flower is born to blush unseen, And waste its sweetness on the desert air;" That's why the ones which blush in florists' shops are sold at prices that make buyers swear.—Brooklyn Eagle.



Elsie—Oh, sister, see—quick—the poor man with his arm asleep.

Her Sister—Oh no, dear, it isn't asleep. He has—

Elsie—Then why does he put in a hammock?—Harper's Bazar.

Another Phase of It.

"I wonder what Wickles has done with his new bicycle?"

"I don't know. I don't believe his family will pay much attention to that phase of the question until the surgeon finds out what his new bicycle has done with Wickles."—Washington Post.

Advice Thrown In.

"When I was in your line of business, my friend," said Mr. Fellairie, giving the greasy tramp a half-dollar and kicking him off the front steps of his mansion. "I always had sense enough to go round to the back door."—Chicago Tribune.

Cold Consolation.

Young Van Marks (in melancholy tone)—Oh, I suppose I shouldn't brood, but fortune seems reluctant to smile on me.

Harry Gay—Well, never mind, old fellow; she will when she sees some of your work.—Truth.

Feet and Hands.

"I should like to have seen Tribby's foot," said the artistic woman.

"Very fine, no doubt," murmured her artistic husband reminiscently, "but you should have seen the hand I held last night—four kings and an ace."—Washington Star.

His Father's Boy.

Mother (policeman's wife)—Willie, I've been shouting for you this half hour. How is it you are never to be found when you are wanted?

Son—Well, mother, I suppose I inherit it from father.—N. Y. Recorder.

Very Chic.

Mrs. Jinks—Don't you think my new bicycle costume rather chic?

Mr. Jinks—Decidedly. Your shoulders seem to spread out like wings, and you—er—seem to be walking on drumsticks.—N. Y. Weekly.

Willing to Oblige.

Mrs. Nagger—Do you remember how when we were first married you used to call me your white lily?

Mr. Nagger—Yes, and if you insist on a floral nickname now, I will call you my tiger lily.—Truth.

On the Road.

First Actor—There ought to be a souvenir performance to-morrow night.

Second Actor—Why?

First Actor—It will be the fiftieth performance since we got our salaries.—Puck.

Too Much Mixture.

She—I don't believe in promiscuous kissing.

He—What do you call promiscuous kissing?

She—Kissing girls as well as men.—Brooklyn Life.

The Arch.

In the office of health is vigor, which means not merely muscular energy but an active discharge of the various functions of the body, such as digestion, secretion of the bile, the action of the bowels, the circulation of the blood. Nothing more actively and thoroughly contributes to the united performance of these functions than the renowned tonic and regulator, Dr. Fetter's Stomach Bitters.

The result of its use is a speed, gain in strength, together with the agreeable consciousness that the tenor of life is being strengthened—that one is laying up a store of vitality against the inevitable draughts which old age makes upon the system. The foregoing is promise of the bitters' capability as a reliable safeguard against malaria, rheumatism and kidney trouble. Appetite and sleep improve through its use, and it protects the system from the effects of cold and an p.

It is not a miracle. It won't cure everything, but it will cure piles. That's what Dr. Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will do, because it has done it a hundreds of cases. C. D. Stevens

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth,

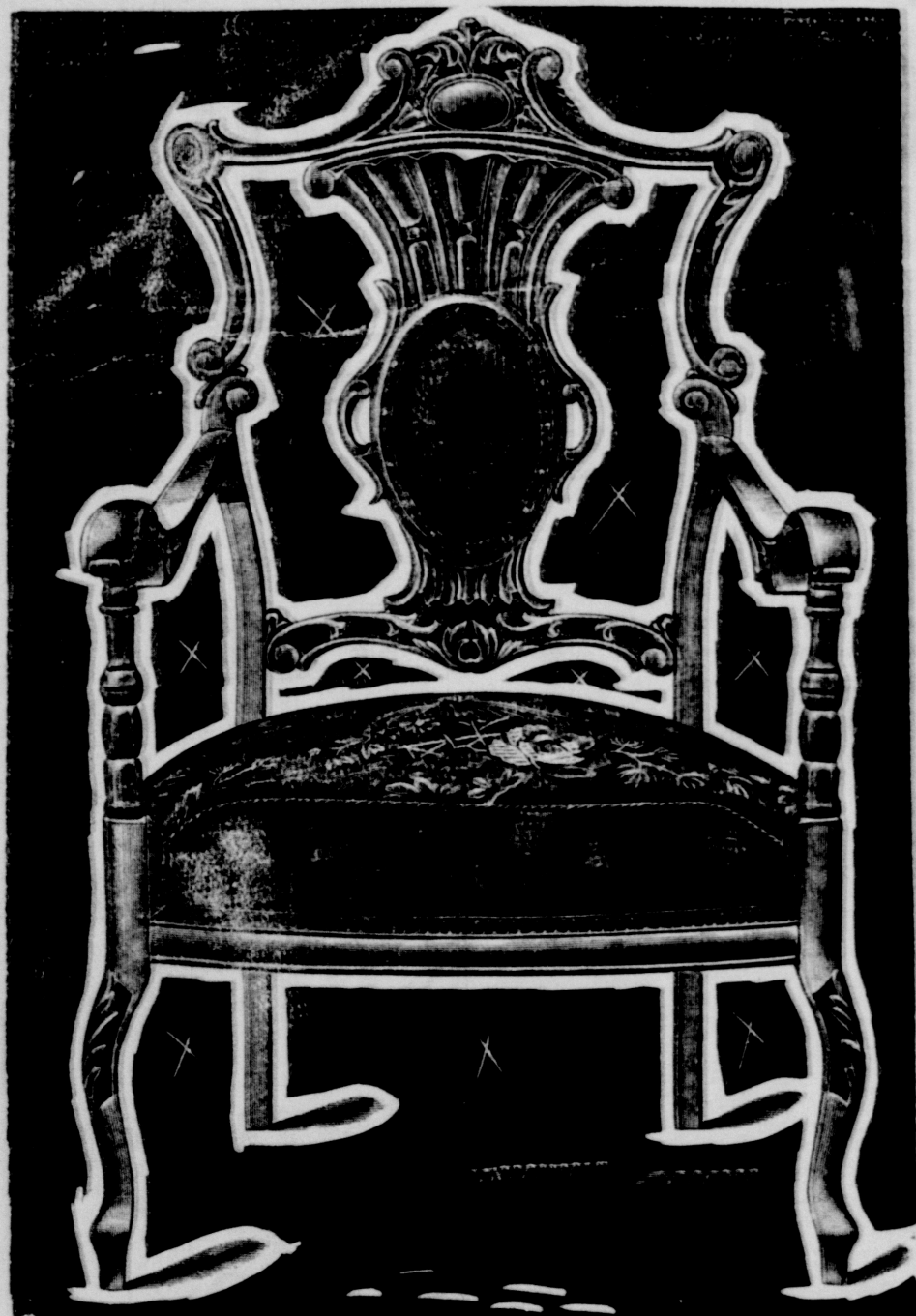
and use that old and well-tried remedy, Dr. W. W. Nelson's Soothing Syrup for children's teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, relieves all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Frank D. Kimball

ENOUGH treats in store to keep you guessing right along. Enough treats ready to make you satisfied that we've brought you a little better

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Perhaps some mistakes yet, which we're sorry for, but they keep us on the watch to cure them and miss others. Busier, brighter, better all the time, because we're in love with the business and you like it.

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Crackers, all kinds, lb.	.05
Boneless Pig Pork	.10
Prunes	.05
Edam Cheese	.85

This is the same kind of cheese as is being sold on this street for \$1 and \$1.25.

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and now we are going to make a gigantic effort to close out the last pair. This is really the chance of a lifetime. No 38 cent shenanigan sheeney deal, but home factory product. You know what we have charged you before for these goods and what other stores ask you now. No professor in higher mathematics required to estimate what you are saving.

GET IN WHILE YOU CAN.

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THE LONG EARED PEOPLE.

The Last Round Up.

This week will be your last chance to get the following

Clothing AND Furnishings

At 50c on the Dollar.

We have an immense stock of Spring Goods which we propose to put on the market next Monday morning.

All \$12 suits	\$6.00
All \$4 and \$6	2.00
All boys 75c Knee pants	.35
All boys 35c, all wool long hose	.19
All 4 ply linen collars	.10
All 4 ply linen cuffs	.10

Come this week if you want to make 50c buy a \$1.00.

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THIS DAY IN HISTORY

1634—Count Wallenstein, commander of Austrian imperial army, assassinated by secret order of his sovereign.
 1723—Sir Christopher Wren, architect of St. Paul's, etc., died; born 1632.
 1746—Charles Cotesworth Pinckney born in Charleston; died there 1825.
 1845—Paris cut off from communication with the outside world by revolutionists.
 1871—Treaty arranged between France and Germany. By the terms of the treaty Alsace and Lorraine were ceded to Germany and a war indemnity of five milliards of francs—about \$1,000,000,000—granted to the conquerors.
 1894—Steele Mackaye, well known American actor, playwright and teacher, died at Timson, Colo.; born 1842.

The reason why the late issue of four per cent coin bearing bonds are in such great demand in England, is because the purchasers know that every dollar of both interest and principle, will be paid in gold. The honor of the United States stands behind them; an honor that stood the test when gold was worth two fifty, and when a defeated party known as "democratic," was clamoring for repudiation.

Senator Sherman, of Ohio, defined very clearly in the senate, last Wednesday, the fallacy of the recent bond issue, and while speaking of the president and Secretary Carlisle, in the most kindly terms, he denounced the contract as faulty in the extreme. It is safe to assume that had John Sherman been in command, no such blunder would have occurred.

Senator Mills, of Texas, proposes to block the wheels of legislation and make necessary an extra session of congress if possible, by introducing a resolution to repeal the law authorizing bond issues. With characteristic bravado he says he will urge his amendment if it results in keeping congress in session for five thousand years. Great is Roger Q Mills.

Mr. Gray, the democratic senator from Delaware, admitted the other day that he didn't know enough about government bonds to know that a thirty year four per cent bond was any more valuable than a ten year bond bearing the same rate of interest. As a great financier he should join issues with Secretary Carlisle.

The National reform press association (populist), one hundred and fifty strong, met in annual session at Kansas City, recently. The lack of harmony indicates that the populist party is all at sea. Coxey was freely discussed as a presidential candidate in 1896. He ought to be encouraged.

Two populist state senators Mills and Pease indulged in a fist fight in the S. state chamber at Denver the other day. The quarrel should be encouraged, until it extends all along the line. Colorado would be better off if in some way this troublesome party would annihilate itself.

The drought in South Dakota has caused such hard times that the lawyers, hotel men and merchants are endeavoring to open up a new channel of business, by urging the passage of a rapid transit divorce bill. If they succeed, the tide of immigration will again turn westward.

The value of property destroyed by fire in the United States in 1893 exceeded \$150,000,000, or more than half the value of the wheat crop. More than 9 per cent of this great loss was the result of incendiarism, representing 5,000 fires, and yet but five persons were convicted.

When bonds can be bought at \$1.04 and sold at \$1.20 before they are issued, it would be a good idea to give the farmers of this country an opportunity to speculate on them. It would pay better than raising wheat at 50 cents a bushel.

Nearly three million boxes of oranges are now ready to be picked in California. The fruit will be plenty in spite of Florida frosts.

Agricultural Society Meeting.

The first quarterly meeting of the agricultural society will be held in D. W. Watt's office, Saturday, March 2, at 1 o'clock p. m. D. W. WATT, Sec'y.

Urgent Action Against Alleged Wreckers
 Clinton, Iowa, Feb. 25.—A meeting of a number of the shareholders of the collapsed Lyons Co-operative association was held yesterday, and it is reported that many will pool their issues and begin action against those who are alleged to have wrecked the concern.

Li Hung Chang to Meet the Emperor
 Peking, Feb. 23.—Li Hung Chang will have an audience with the emperor at Peking Monday preparatory to assuming the duties of peace commissioner to Japan.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
 Most Perfect Made.

SEEN ON THE CITY STREETS.

A new feature in our business is full dress suits. We can fit you with an elegantly full silk lined garment for \$30.00 for the suit. These garments are cut in the very latest style. Where can you do better for \$50? \$20, a snug little sum to save. We shall be pleased to show them to you. T. J. Ziegler.

PLEASE take notice that Lowell opens the spring hardware business of southern Wisconsin with a fire sale of tinware of all kinds bought in Chicago last Thursday at his own price. Competitors will please go to sleep for about 3 months. Lowell Hardware Co.

We carry the latest styles of full dress suits, if you are contemplating a purchase look us up first. We can easily save you \$20.00 on your suit. Our garments fit as perfectly as can be turned out by the most fashionable tailor. We want you to see them. T. J. Ziegler.

TINWARE, tinware, tinware. Two carloads received today by The Lowell Hardware Co., bought at their own price from the American Stamping Co., 153 Lake St., Chicago. Open Wednesday morning.

ANY time you want any figures on any plumbing, gas or steam fitting please remember we are in the business at No. 6 Milwaukee street, on the bridge. Green & Allen.

You will perhaps look better in one of our full dress suits than the other fellow who paid \$50.00 for his. \$27.00 buys an elegant fitting suit, the most fashionable cut. T. J. Ziegler.

FINE sale of tinware at Lowell's, commencing Wednesday morning. Such cutting of prices was never before known and will never be known again.

This month will soon be gone and then our annual February clearing sale will be no more. Better see those clocks at 95 cents each. T. P. Burns.

ALL the new novelties for spring wear have been received by F. C. Cook & Co. Sterling silver and gold buckle belts will be worn very much.

Yes! There is a plumbing establishment at No. 6 Milwaukee Street on the bridge and it is owned and operated by Green & Allen.

Now is the time to get tinware at your own price. Wednesday morning the great sale opens at Lowell's. Anything you want.

A LOT of cloaks, nice ones can be seen at T. P. Burns' February clearing sale for 95 cents each.

COLLARETTES are very stylish now and we show an excellent line. F. C. Cook & Co.

BURT, Bailey & Co. have something special for tomorrow again. See large advertisement.

The spring line of 1895 is handsomely represented at F. C. Cook & Co.

Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Feb. 23.—As is usual, following a holiday, there was this morning an accumulation of receipts of wheat. Northwest markets had nearly 500 cars. Primary points, mostly two days, showed 450,000 bu receipts. Shipments were light. Reports on stocks were not favorable to a large visible decrease. Minneapolis stocks will be a stand off. Duluth nearly 500,000 increase. Export clearances for the day were fair at 320,000 wheat and flour. Bradstreet's for five days gave exports wheat and flour both coasts less than 2,000,000 bu. The trade looks for less than 1,000,000 decrease in visible stocks. May sold 53c at opening to 53 1/4c to 53 1/2c to 53 3/4c bid and off to 52 3/4c, with the close at 52 3/4c. After the close New York dispatches gave export sales wheat there at 19 boat loads (150,000 bu), including 10 loads No. 2 red wheat for Liverpool. Corn traders had the best market for the session if action was what was wanted. During the morning the offerings were light and shorts did some covering. This gave prices a little up turn. May corn sold 44 1/4c to 45 1/4c. Receipts were 233 cars. When the estimate of 640 cars for Monday was given out the market weakened. Local holders sold quickly and the May price declined to 44 1/4c to 44 3/4c at the close. Primary receipts were 544,000 bu over the holiday. For the week primary markets had 1,675,000 bu, compared with 1,021,000 last week, 3,362,000 last year. Shipments were very light from western markets at 412,000 bu, compared with 528,000 the week previous. Export clearances were fair at 117,000 bu, including 45,000 out of New Orleans.

Quotations were:

ARTICLES	High.	Low.	Feb. 23.	Feb. 21.
Wheat—2				
Feb.	50 1/2	50 1/4	50 1/4	50 1/4
May	53 1/4	52 3/4	52 3/4	53 1/4
July	54 1/4	54	54	54 1/4
Corn—2				
Feb.	45 1/4	44 1/4	44 1/4	45
May	44 1/4	44 1/4	44 1/4	44 1/4
July	45 1/4	44 1/4	44 1/4	45
Oats—2				
Feb.	28 1/4	28	28	28 1/4
May	29 1/4	29	29	29 1/4
June	29 1/4	29	29	29 1/4
July	28 1/4	27 3/4	27 3/4	27 3/4
Pork—				
Feb.	9.25	9.15	9.15	9.15
May	10.25	10.15	10.15	10.15
Lard—				
Feb.	6.50	6.45	6.45	6.50
May	6.50	6.45	6.45	6.50
S. Ribbs—				
Feb.	5.30	5.25	5.25	5.25
May	5.30	5.25	5.25	5.25

Old Tobacco Chewers say
CLORILLARD'S
Glimax
PLUG
 is much the best.

A COMEDIAN SOCIETICISM.

He Went to Jail for It, But the Kaiser Was Hard Hit.

There is a story going the round of foreign papers which gives an ingenious explanation of the reason why Emperor William of Germany has not traveled so much this year as in former years. Well-informed Germans, it is said, attribute his comparative quiet to the audacious criticism of a singer in a music hall. This German Paulus appeared on the stage of a music hall in Hamburg some time ago in three different costumes. The first represented an old man in military uniform, who, as he walked across the stage, pronounced the words: "I have not time to get tired." The audience saw at once that the actor was impersonating old Emperor William I.

When he appeared for the second time, he represented a sick man. He wore a long, gray beard. In a sad voice he said: "Learn to suffer without complaining," an expression attributed to Emperor Frederick on his death bed.

The third figure was that of a young man with a long blonde mustache. Rushing upon the stage, he cried: "Michael, fix my valise." We shall start on another voyage."

The people laughed heartily, and applauded the apparent comparison between the three German emperors. But as the artist was on the point of leaving the hall he was arrested and thrown into prison, where he remained fourteen days. The criticism, the papers say, went to the heart of the emperor, and he decided to travel less.



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Notices in This Column Five Cents a Line for Each Insertion.

FOR RENT—A new house with all modern improvements, in a desirable location. Dr. Suther and.

FOR RENT—Small house, 257 Prospect avenue.

FOR RENT—A five room house with summer kitchen, wood shed and coal rooms attached. Good eastern and city water in yard. Anyone desiring to change location would do well to investigate. 105 Milton avenue.

FOR SALE—One good second hand bob sled; also one good second hand cutter with one or two seats. F. A. Taylor, River and Court.

SPECIAL—Last lot of Japanese stoves just received and for sale at 25 cents each at Helmstreet's drug store. Burners come with stove.

FOR SALE—A lot of drug boxes, large size; one large coal stove. Cheap, to close out. at Helmstreet's.

CARDS—We had a lot of playing cards sent us to be sold at 25 cents a pack; as we do not keep a general stock, will close them out at 10 cents a pack; fancy enameled; big bargains, at Helmstreet's drug store.

FOR SALE—Good farm of 120 acres at \$45 per acre. Will take good house not to exceed \$700, in part payment. Balance six per cent, to suit purchaser. E. C. Burdick.

CALL and examine the new perfumes, K. P. & Eastern Star, free, at Helmstreet's drug store.


WANTED—Boarders: board, washing and lodging \$3 per week, at 153 East Milwaukee street.

WANTED—A man with a family to raise a crop of tobacco on shares. Apply at store. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

WANTED—A good girl for general housework at 263 Prospect avenue. Mrs. M. S. Fitcher.

WANTED—One hundred pounds of clean white rags for which a good price will be paid. Apply to John Slightan at the Gazette press room.

WE ARE IN IT.
Very Strong.



Having been given the exclusive agency in Janesville to the celebrated **Knox** Hats. We will show you on March 1 the finest shapes in Stiff, Soft and Crush hats that you have ever gazed on by waiting until that date you will see the correct thing and so acknowledged by good dressers from coast to coast. We have two grades of them and many other styles by different manufacturers.

Our Woolens
 are arriving every day and this spring's styles will please every one.



Open the Door and drop in on the progressive people.

KNEFF & ALLEN,
 OUTFITTERS.

WHAT IS THE SIZE OF YOUR FEET?

If they are small enough to wear shoes either 2 1-2, 3 or 3 1-2, we will sell you your choice of any of our

Best French Kid Hand-turned Shoes

worth \$3.50 to \$5 per pair for the small sum of

\$1.50.

We do this because the great majority of women wear larger sizes and we want to make the small sizes move with the balance of the stock. No one in Janesville has finer shoes than we have and just think of the price \$1.50 for the finest made. Come to the store in the forenoon and avoid the rush.

You Will Never Have Another Such a Chance to Buy Shoes

until another fellow turns up his toes.

THE HARD TIMES STORE CO.

Sales Ladies and Shoe Salesmen Wanted.

Open Until 9 O'clock Every Night.

"KIDS" ARE TO SEE THE BIG SHOW FREE

NEARLY TWO HUNDRED TICKETS FOR THE BOYS.

Must Be In Line at a Quarter of Six Tonight at Ziegler's Corner—Sale of Seats for the Imperial Benefit For the Poor Has Been Large.

One hundred and seventy-five Janesville youngsters will see the performance of the Imperial Entertainers tonight without money and without price.

There's only one condition. They must "get in line."

The line will be formed at T. J. Ziegler's clothing store at fifteen minutes to six o'clock, and extend across the bridge. Then the tickets will be given to the kids in the order in which they come. Chief Acheson and his force will be present to keep the line unbroken and the pasteboards will be given out without favor.

The boys owe this treat to the generosity of the public. The following people have bought the following number of tickets to be given away.

Ogden H. Fetters, forty.

Capt. Pliny Norcross, twenty.

E. J. Smith, manager of T. J. Ziegler's store, twenty.

Alderman F. S. Winslow, twenty.

Skelly & Wilbur, eight.

E. W. Lowell, eight.

F. C. Burpee, eight.

S. B. Smith, eight.

J. H. Parker, eight.

E. M. Hyzer, eight.

O. E. Smith & Co., five.

W. S. Jeffris, four.

W. H. Greenman, four.

Charles Tarrant, four.

C. C. McLean, four.

Ball & Bates, four.

C. D. Stevens, four.

Alderman F. S. Winslow, who has been working hard for the success of the performance, will have charge of the distribution, and the tickets will be handed out as long as they last. All boys who want to attend the performance should be around promptly on time, and keep the place they get in the line.

Seat Sale Was Large.

Seats for the benefit sold like hot cakes this morning, and Manager Stoddard had to move rather lively to wait on the purchasers. The good cause for which the performance is given, the relieving of the city poor, naturally made all people who could share a half dollar anxious to patronize the performance. The seats are not all sold, however, and people who have not yet bought tickets but wish to see the performance, should not stay at home on that account. The opera house will accommodate a large crowd and no audience has yet been so large that people had to be turned away.

Another thing that should be borne in mind, is that the performance will begin promptly at 7:30 o'clock, which is nearly an hour earlier than the usual hour for the curtain to rise.

The company gave a street parade this noon, and attracted much attention. It is said that much new "work" will be used in tonight's performance, and several original features that were not used in the other performances will be introduced.

The performance will be good, and the object is a most worthy one. For these two reasons everybody should go.

TO-DAY'S TERSE TOWN TALES

J. JOHN LUGG is ap from Chicago, to spend a few days with his folks.

M. MONTGOMERY of Madison, spent Sunday with Janesville friends.

D. W. WATT has a new advertisement on the 5th page today—real estate.

THE Lowell Hardware Co. announces itself in this issue. Tomorrow they will impress you harder. Sale opens Wednesday.

MRS. MADAM HEAVY, the blind medium and fortune teller, will be found at the parlors of the Highland House from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.

THE Wombat spent Friday at the farm and brought home some pumpkins with him. The boys at home enjoyed some excellent trade while he was away.

REGULAR meeting of W. H. Sargent W. R. C. at A. R. hall tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Let every member be present, as business of importance will come before the meeting.

COLONEL BUCK, of the adjutant general's office at Madison, wants a map of Janesville for the bureau of military information in the adjutant general's office, and writes City Clerk Bates to see if one will be donated.

Messrs. Whittaker & Graber took charge of the Mosher barber shop this morning. They will endeavor to please everybody in the tonsorial line, and their bathrooms will be in readiness all the time. Hot water at all times during business hours.

NEXT Saturday we make our debut to a Janesville public, and we wish to impress on your minds that you will not find a better selection of woollens for spring suits and pants anywhere in Chicago than we will show you. Come and see us. W. P. Bolles, 59 East Milwaukee St.

"My daughter suffered from a severe cough nearly all winter without finding a remedy that gave her any relief until she used Hale's Cough Cordial. One bottle performed a cure." William Cannon, Janesville, Wis. For sale by Prentice & Evenson.

THE Hard Times Store Co. could not wait on half the people at their place on last Saturday, and today has

been a repetition of Saturday. Low prices coupled with advertising in the Gazette bring out the people. Some more stuff very low to-morrow—shoes.

BENEATH A BURDEN OF SORROW

Mrs. Martha B. Davies.

Mrs. Martha Bladen Davies, wife of the late Charles Davies, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Airis, in Rock Prairie, at 10 o'clock a. m. Sunday, February 24, after only about a week's illness, with heart trouble, aged seventy-six years and five months. Mrs. Davies was of English birth. She came to this country in 1853, and settled upon a farm near Madison. In 1867 she, with her family moved to Janesville, where she has since resided. Her husband died on the 8th day of May, 1873. Mrs. Davies leaves two children, Fred H. Davies, of this city, and Mrs. John S. Airis, of Rock Prairie. The funeral will be held at the home of her son, Fred H. Davies, 6 Fifth avenue, Tuesday afternoon, February 26, at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Grace Auld.

Mrs. Grace Auld died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary E. Kirk, early Sunday morning, aged eighty-four years, after but a few days' illness. She leaves one son and three daughters: John Auld, of Norbana, Missouri; Mrs. Sara J. Coe, of Portsmouth, Ohio; Mrs. Nancy A. Auld, of Tacoma, Washington; and Mrs. Mary E. Kirk, of this city. The funeral services will be held from her late home, 159 South River street, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, and will be conducted by Rev. E. H. Pence, of the Presbyterian church.

Frances A. Gallup.

Frances A. Gallup died at his home four miles east of this city in the town of uarmory at 5 o'clock Wednesday morning of a complication of kidney trouble and the grip aged sixty-two years. Mr. Gallup had resided in Wisconsin for forty-one years. He leaves a family of a wife, two daughters and one son, Mrs. Mary Saunders of Milton, Emma C. Gallup and W. H. Gallup both of this city. The funeral will be held at the home Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock and the interment will be made at Delavan.

Alice Dwyer.

Alice Dwyer died in Beloit Sunday morning at 7 o'clock of diabetes, aged fourteen years. The remains were brought to this city this morning and taken to the home of her mother, 107 Dodge street. Besides her mother she leaves three sisters and two brothers. Her father died four years ago. The funeral will be held at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning from St. Patrick's church.

John Thomas Barrett.

John Thomas Barrett, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Barrett, of Porter, died Saturday of pneumonia, aged two months. The funeral was held at 11 o'clock this morning, and the remains were buried in Mount Olivet.

Florence Puhle.

Little Florence Puhle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Puhle, of Center, died February 22, aged three months. Lung trouble was the cause of her death. The funeral was held in Center Sunday afternoon.

ODD FELLOWS GO TO FOND DU LAC.

Janesville Patriarchs Will Attend the Grand Encampment.

A number of Janesville patriarchal Odd Fellows will attend the annual meeting of the Grand Encampment which convenes in Fond du Lac tomorrow. Among them will be Grand Representative James A. Fathers, and Patriarchs Ed. Smith, Fred Young, B. F. Blanchard, A. H. Taylor, L. M. Nelson, J. F. Hutchinson, and S. H. Kenyon and wife. They will be absent two or three days.

Fire Sale Of Tinware.

Last year E. W. Lowell, the hustler, and slayer of high prices, put in a great deal of time on bankrupt stocks and the result was, he bought and sold out twelve, one of which was closed out in Janesville, and the people all know how he slaughtered prices. This year he has commenced on "Fire Stocks" and the first to fall into his hands is that of the American Stamping Co., exclusive tinware, at 153 Lake St., Chicago. This is one of the largest tinware houses in the world, having factories at Portland, Conn., and Brooklyn, N. Y. and a branch house at 153 Lake street Chicago. A few days ago the Chicago house had a fire; a few goods were damaged; but the majority was left as good as when first put in the house. Mr. Lowell happening to be in Chicago was approached and requested to purchase the entire stock, three large floors full, which he did at his own price, and will be opened Wednesday morning. Watch tomorrow evening's Gazette. Never in the history of Janesville has such a stock of tinware been in Janesville; more than all the hardware and tinware stores in the city combined, and at prices which can only make buyers laugh.

Fair and Cooler, They Say.

Forecast: Fair and cooler in the western portion.

The temperature as recorded by S. C. Burnham & Co. during the last twenty-four hours was as follows:

7 a. m. 32 above

1 p. m. 43 above

Max. 45 above

Min. 30 zero

Wind, north.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.

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BURGLARS WORKED FOR LITTLE PAY

L. SEIVERTS' HOME WAS VISITED LAST NIGHT.

Mrs. Seiverts' "Pin Money" Amounting to \$10.35 Was All That Was Taken Although the House Was Thoroughly Searched—Cases That Came Before Judge Phelps.

Burglars entered the residence of Mr. and Mrs. L. Seivert, corner of Pearl street and Mineral Point avenue, between 9 and 10 o'clock last night, and although they ransacked the house completely, they secured only \$10.35. They forced the woodshed door, and from it gained access to the main part of the residence, first ransacking the room occupied by Mrs. Seivert and her two children. Mr. Seivert works nights in the Chicago & Northwestern round house, and was therefore away from home when the thieves came. The cash taken was the "pin money" that Mrs. Seivert had been saving up. The police think that the thieves were well acquainted with the premises.

A jury was drawn this morning in the case of the state against P. W. Murphy, of Beloit, charged with assault, and the case will come up for trial in the municipal court tomorrow morning.

Frank Smith, alias "Tinker," was arraigned in the municipal court this morning on charge of drunk and disorderly conduct. He was convicted and sent to jail for three days.

Thirteen year old Oscar Ostrum, of Clinton, is in jail here charged with "tapping a till" in the meat market in which he worked.

GAY YOUNG PEOPLE WORE MASKS

Pleasant Party Given by Master John Gateley Saturday Evening.

One of the most enjoyable parties of the season was the masquerade given by John Gateley, Jr., at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gateley, Saturday evening. The guests were entertained in a pleasing manner, and at 9 o'clock light refreshments were served. Those present were:

Masters—Arthur Dilzer, Charles Dearborn, Percy Merrill, Clarence Sutherland, Harry De Forest, Harry Smith.

Misses—May Treat, Louise Merrill, Katie Fildid, Helen Fildid, Grace Ryan, Elna Shoopell, Retta Kimball.

Enjoyable Birthday Party.

Miss Blanche Sweeney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sweeney, entertained ten of her friends Saturday afternoon from 4 to 8 o'clock. The event was much enjoyed by the little folks. The guests were:

Marie Wilder, Lillian Mount, May Treat, Virginia Hayner, Jessie Spelman.

Miss Shumway Gave a Dinner.

Miss Mabel F. Shumway entertained a party of eight at a 6 o'clock dinner Saturday evening, after which an hour or two were agreeably spent at the whist tables. The guests were:

Misses—Josephine Carle, A. J. Harris, Mae Stevens, N. F. Cowd, Jeanne LeRoux, M. F. M. East, Mabel Shumway, H. A. Ford.

MR. FETHERS' QUESTION ANSWERED

Mr. Wright Says He and Mr. Conkling Were Both Visiting.

EDITOR GAZETTE:—In answer to Mr. Fether's inquiry for the sake of "truth in history," I will say that at the time of the episode referred to, Roscoe Conkling lived in Auburn, where his father, Judge Conkling, resided during the boyhood of his son. They afterwards moved to Utica, but at this particular time mentioned he was, like myself, a visitor in the city. J. T. WRIGHT.

THE NORMANIA HAS ARRIVED

Janesville Party Were Safely Landed at Gibraltar Yesterday.

The steamship Normania arrived at Gibraltar Sunday afternoon with all on board safe. So says a cable dispatch sent by Hon. John Winans to E. M. Hyzer, received this morning.

Don't neglect that cough, it leads to consumption. One Minute Cough Cure possesses a double virtue. It cures and cures quickly. C. D. Stevens.

Translating the Perfect Tense.

It was in a Latin class, and a dull boy was wrestling with the sentence "Rex fugit," which with a painful slowness of emphasis, he had rendered, "The king flies."

"But in what other tense can the verb 'fugit' be found?" asked the teacher.

A long scratching of the head and a final answer of "perfect," owing to a whispered prompting.

"And how would you translate it, then?"

"Dunno."

"Why, put a 'has' in it."

Again the tardy emphasis drawled out: "The king has fleas."—Waterbury American.

Advertising for a Lost Dog.

A man came into the office of a Maine paper the other day and thus addressed the lady at the desk: "How you vas to-day, I hope? I vants for to advertise my leetle tog on der baper. He vas shet-plack tog mit white spots all ofer him in blaces. His tail vas coot of close up to myself, and if anypotty fints him, keep him, for I pelong to him. How mooch vor two time?"

A DAY ON THE CITY STREETS

A. J. WILBUR spent yesterday in Chicago.

THOMAS JEFFRIS spent the day in Clinton on business.

A. P. DAVIES is now installed as clerk at the Myers.

E. RAY STEVENS was down from adison for Sunday.

FRED WANDELL left on the vestibule for Chicago last evening.

HON. FENNER KIMBALL's house is now connected with the telephone exchange.

Mrs. W. H. WHALEN and daughter are both seriously sick with pneumonia.

Miss EDITH LOOMIS returned home last evening from a visit with Evansville friends.

Miss DELIA M. BUOB is visiting in Chicago, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. F. McGrew.

C. M. GREEN left for Chicago this morning, where he expects to join a theatrical troupe.

Miss GRACE BROWNELL returned home on a vestibule last evening from a visit to Madison.

EDDIE DANFIELD left on the accommodation this morning for a week's visit in Chicago.

STANLEY D. TALLMAN spent Sunday in the city, returning to his studies in Madison last evening.

MRS. O. F. MEYER has returned after a week's visit with his friends in Jefferson and Waterloo.

J. F. PARKER has been added to the clerical force at A. H. Sheldon & Company's hardware store.

CHARLES TURNER left on the morning train for a trip in the interest of E. J. Green's paper house.

A JANESVILLE young man who is in the express business, will be joined in matrimonial bonds next week.

HALE'S Cough Cordial will cure your cough, if it don't we will refund your money. Prentice & Evenson.

DR. GEORGE FIFIELD left on the 6:30 train last evening for Chicago, after spending the past week in the city.

THE Knights Templars will give a banquet at their hall this evening for the members and a few invited guests.

THE contingent of students from Janesville, who spent Sunday with relatives returned to Madison last evening.

JOHN W. LUTZ has had his hands full lately unloading a car of flour which was received at the store lately from Minneapolis.

WILLIE DALY, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Daly, fell Saturday and sprained his ankle and as the result he has to walk on crutches.

CONDUCTOR C. A. Carpenter had charge of J. H. Dowers run while the latter was on the arrangement committee for the conductors' party.

JOHN WRAY and family, who have been visiting relatives and friends in in this city for some weeks past, left on the noon train today for Chicago.

J. G. DeLong left on the morning train for a trip in the northern part of the state, in the interest of the Richardson & Norcross shoe factory.

On account of the fact that the next K. P. social was originally scheduled for the evening of Ash Wednesday, it has been postponed until Thursday evening.

PROF. HUYKE's orchestra will play for a private party in this city tonight; for the Masons tomorrow night; Wednesday night at Brodhead, and Thursday night for the K. P. social.

MORE wheels will be used in Janesville the coming season than ever before. So says Frank Sanner, who will look after the interests of the "Columbia" the coming season.

THERE have come into our home many medicines for colds and coughs, but after using Dr. Hale's Cough Cordial we want no other and regard it the best."—Rev. Matt Evans, Merrill, Wis. For sale by Prentice & Evenson.

WHAT came near being a serious accident happened at the St. Paul depot this evening. As the Milwaukee passenger was coming in a Janesville young man made a grab for the rear platform and missing his hold fell up on the tracks. The car being the last one on the tracks was the only thing that saved him.

HORATIO NELSON, of Nelson Brothers, the livermen, is feeling as proud as a little boy with a new pair of red-top boots. He has just come in possession of a pair of "strawberry roan" colts, which he thinks a little better than any other team in the city. Horsemen now raise their hats when Mr. Nelson drives by.

THE parlors of the Congregational church contained a merry crowd of young people Friday evening, known as the "King's Daughters." During the evening refreshments were served for the members and a few invited guests, and the rest of the time was given up to social enjoyment. Misses Emma Hoskins, Kittie Byers and Georgia Withington had numbers on the program.

GEORGE KING, the druggist, received a fresh supply of arsenic and being troubled with rats he concluded to try the arsenic, and placing a pound of the poison on a half a pound of meat he waited for results. While he was waiting on a customer, along came his favorite black cat and partook thereof. This is the one cat "that never came back," but in the meantime the rats are as lively as ever.

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LINE DID NOT PAY BY A WIDE MARGIN

STREET RAILWAY CO. LOST \$2000 LAST YEAR.

The Net Earnings Were \$12,029.51 and the Expenses Not Counting the Repairing of the Streets Were \$13,233.39—New Board of Directors Chosen This Afternoon.

The earnings of the Janesville Street railway did not meet expenses during 1894 by nearly two thousand dollars. Superintendent Proudfoot's report, made to the stockholders this afternoon, gave the earnings for the year at \$12,029.51 and the expenses, not including repairing of streets, at \$13,233.39. President Blabon submitted a report, giving the difficulties which had operated against the company, said he hoped in the near future the road would be placed in a paying condition.

A number of extensions were talked about, but no definite conclusions were reached. The road is considerably in debt, but with the return of prosperity, it is hoped the earnings will be sufficient to meet all liabilities.

Five directors were unanimously elected, as follows: G. W. Blabon, Alex. Graham, George L. Carrington, George M. McKey and W. R. Proudfoot.

Englishmen Help Celebrate.

Nice, Feb. 23.—Washington's birthday was celebrated here by a reception given at the American rectory by the Rev. M. Adamson. The reception was attended by upwards of 200 British and American residents.

A Wise Professor.

In the mathematics class at Williams college Professor S., who was rarely made the subject of college jests, was excessively annoyed by some man "sneaking" in a small rubber bladder, says Harper's Bazar. The noise seemed to come from near a certain Jack Hollis, and after querrying each of his neighbors and receiving a negative answer Professor S.—said sternly: "Hollis, do you know who is making that unbearable noise?" Hollis, who had been the guilty person all along, assumed an air of stoical bravery and said calmly: "I know, sir, but I prefer not to tell."

Professor S.'s angry face grew calmer and with evident pleasure he replied: "I respect your scruples, Hollis; they do you credit, and should shame the guilty man, sir!"—N. Y. Journal.

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THE POET'S MEED.

"Who fainteth here in the mart, forlorn,
While men stand chaffering by?
Go ask his trade." "A poet born,
With a song in his flashing eye."
"What hath he to sell—coal, cotton or corn?"
"Fair thoughts." "Then let him die."
—Grant Allen in Academy.

UNCLE BEN'S LETTER.

Bill Hullett, who lives on a small farm in Lake county, was showing me a number of Indian relics prized by him because they had been in the family so long.

"What have you in there?" I asked, pointing to a faded blue plush case originally intended, I fancied, for a set of silver teaspoons. Before answering my question Bill opened the box and held it so that I could look into it, and but for a yellowing envelope it was empty. He took up the envelope, touching it with exceeding care, and handed it to me.

"What of it?" I asked after reading the name and address—"Mrs. Mary Hullett, Antioch, Lake county, Ills."

"You notice," said he, "that it has never been opened."

"Yes," I answered, "and what is this postmark written with a pen? Why, it is Gettysburg, isn't it?"

"Yes. That's where the letter was mailed, addressed to my mother and, as you see, no one has broken the seal."

"Why that's strange. Tell me about it."

In order to get the history of a relic I had to feel, or rather pretend that I felt, a great interest in it. Bill took the letter and put it away, and after a time told me the following bit of family history:

"You see, my mother thought more of her brother, my Uncle Ben, than she did of almost anybody in the world. While quite young she married in the east, and she and father, together with my Uncle Ben, came on to this state. I don't recollect much about my father, for he died not long after I was born, but from what I have always understood the marriage was not a happy one. Well, Uncle Ben finished paying for the farm and had the deed made over to mother.

"I merely mention these small details to show how much the brother and sister were attached to each other. Well, when the war broke out—and I recollect it well, for I was a smart chunk of a boy—Uncle Ben swore that it was his duty to go. My mother was a very patriotic woman, but with the selfishness of a woman's affection she could not see why she should be called upon to give up her only brother. But Uncle Ben declared that every woman should not only be called upon to give up her brother, but her son, her husband, her life, if needs be. He was so devoted to the Union, so strong in his denunciation of all people who were lukewarm, that when the time came he was elected captain of a company. And so off he marched, leaving my mother in the deepest grief. At night she would awake me with her sobs, and many a time when I heard no sound would I put my hand on her pillow to find it wet with her tears. Of course the violence of her grief did not last, for pride and the love of country bade her be brave, but whenever we received news that a battle had been fought she would look herself in her room and there wait to hear that her brother was dead.

"Thus it went on until his death was mentioned in the dispatches. He was killed at Gettysburg, and two days later there came a letter from him. My mother knew that it had been written just before he went into battle—probably the very last thing he did was to seal it, and she declared that the seal must never be broken. I remember that some of the neighbors argued with her that she ought to see what the letter had to say, but she said not, it must forever remain sealed. So she never did open it, and when she came to die she told me to keep it just as she had kept it and to leave it to my favorite child, with the same instructions that she had given me. My mother was of excellent stock, and I have thought that this prompted her sometimes to say that the crest of her descendants might be an unopened letter. She always said this laughingly, but I have noticed that it is in a spirit of fun that we sometimes show our pride. Well, as you see, I have never opened the letter, and I never intend to. I'm going to leave it to my son Andrew."

Bill and I went fishing that afternoon, as we did nearly every Saturday during the summer, and all the time we were casting I was itching to know what was in that letter. Of course I knew that it contained simply a few lines telling his sister that a battle was on, and that he trusted in God and the right. But I wanted to see the lines. I could fancy the shape of the sprawling characters, written with a pencil by the light of a candle held by a bayonet stuck into the ground.

"Bill," said I, "you would have found me among the neighbors urging your mother to open that letter."

"But not if you had seen that not to open it was a sentiment with her."

"Well, I don't know about that. Probably not."

The next time I went out into the country to fish with Bill I found him in rather a dejected state. The drought had continued so long that he knew that the crops must be a failure, and summer boarders had not come in numbers sufficient to insure an offset for the damage. Bill said he didn't care to fish. "If I were to hang the biggest bass in the lake, it is a question whether I'd have courage enough to pull him out," said he.

"Oh, it's surely isn't as bad as that!" I argued. "One good season will make everything all right."

"No," he replied, shaking his head. "In fact, there may not be another season for me."

"What do you mean?"

"Why, year before last, in order to build the large extension to the little

house that we had lived in so long, I had to mortgage the farm. Of course I thought that I would soon pull out, but I haven't. I can get a few hundred dollars more than the mortgage is for, and I thought that I would let the thing go rather than to worry any longer and take a few hundred and rent me a shanty in the village. I am a sort of plasterer and I may pick up a bare living."

He was so depressed that I cared not to talk to him, and I took the first train and returned to the city. Several weeks passed. I went not to the country for the reason that to me the whole landscape had been saddened. I had become much attached to Hullett. He had a droll way of speech, a dry laugh, and his mischievous eye cut so odd a caper now and then that I was drawn to him. But I cared not to see him now that a misfortune had befallen him, for my friendship for him was founded on a humorous sentiment. One day I set a man from Antioch and asked him about Bill, whether or not he had found a purchaser for his farm. "I think he has," the man answered. "I understand that a fellow named Fetterage has about closed a deal with him. Sorry for Bill; says that he can get along maybe as a plasterer, but I don't see how he can when the regular plasterers are about all out of work."

A few days after this I was hastening along the street when some one grabbed hold of me. I wheeled about, and there was Bill, pretending to choke me. His eye was bright, cutting its odd capers, and I noticed that he was arrayed in new clothes. "You are hustling along here pretty brash," he said, releasing me, "but I want to show you that I am not to be run over even if I am from the country."

I stood there looking at him, wondering what could have happened. "Have you sold your farm?" I asked.

His eye twinkled. "Say," he said, "I am all right now, and my son Andrew, little rascal, brought it all about. Got into the box the other day, looking for Indian arrow heads, and what did he do but rip open Uncle Ben's letter and bring it to me. And of course I had to read it; told that he—Uncle Ben—had bequeathed \$3,000 in gold in an iron box at the left hand root of the white oak tree facing the outlet of the lake. I jumped up and grabbed a hoe, I tell you. The tree had been cut down years ago, but the stump was there all right, and there I dug till I got the money, all the time thinking about mother and her brother, and the next day when that shark came to close the deal with me I said: 'No, I'm obliged to you. I don't believe I care to trade. I thought I was broke, but the truth is an uncle of mine has left me some money.' And, say, the news that a fortune has been left to me has spread about, and you ought to see the folks bow to me on the road. Oh, I'm all right now, and, say again, you never saw fish bite as they do now! Come out."—Opie Reed in New York Commercial Advertiser.

Ward Is True to Poll.

While it is probably true that each nation has its own ideal of feminine beauty, yet I think we American men are ready to acknowledge a really handsome woman wherever we see her. While in England I was greatly surprised to see so few fine looking women, though Englishmen claim a superiority in this respect. Possibly I was unfortunate in not happening to meet them, though I kept a keen lookout both on the streets, in the theaters and at other places where fashionable persons assembled. During all the time I was abroad I saw very few beautiful women, but since my return I have been much more fortunate.

Americans should congratulate themselves in possessing not only women who are of a superior type of beauty to those in any other part of the world, but also on account of the endless varieties included in this type. There is a sameness in the appearance of English women which soon grows tiresome to the eye. In America, on the other hand, owing to a salutary mixture of the races, there are all styles of feminine beauty, though constituting one general class. Those who attended the horse show must have been impressed with this fact, and it has been conspicuous also at the exhibition of portraits at the National Academy of Design.—Ward McAllister in New York World.

What Spoiled the Coffee.

At last we have an infallible rule for coffee, and though it comes from an unknown source it is warranted to please the most exacting epicure. It runs as follows:

Bridget is an excellent cook, but like most women of her profession she is opinionated and insists upon making all her dishes strictly according to her own recipes. Her mistress gives her full swing not only as to cooking, but as to the purchase of supplies.

The other day her mistress said to her:

"Bridget, the coffee you are giving to us is very good. What kind is it?"

"It's no kind at all, mum," said Bridget. "It's a mixture."

"How do you mix it?"

"I make it one-quarter Mocha and one-quarter Java and one-quarter Rio."

"But that's only three-quarters. What do you put in for the other quarter?"

"I put in no other quarter at all, mum. That's where so many spiles the coffee, mum—by putting in a fourth quarter."—Kansas City Star.

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Indian Gentleness to Animals.

In the cause of humanitarianism the North American Indian should hold the foremost place. It is truly said of him that the one supreme law of his household forbids cruelty to children and animals. In my residence among them, during the various degrees of their adoption of me as friend, sister and chief, I have never seen a blow inflicted upon a child or an animal.

The Indian believes the animal kingdom to be endowed with reasoning faculties. He has a tradition that in the first creation of animals they were gifted with the power of speech; that by some evil necromancy, rather than by loss of spirit, this faculty was lost, but that the endowment of thought and motive still remains. He also believes that the animals are endowed with immortality, and that by way of compensation for suffering in this life the fur and feather folk will hereafter receive peace for pain and gentleness for cruelty.

In the totemic devices, tabular stones and pictographic records of his tribal history, the Indian represents the animals and birds as his cohelpers and companions. In his tribal organization, in his mythology, family relationships, heraldry, religion, necromancy, secret societies and national laws he is largely aided by animal example, counsel and invention. The creation of the earth he believes to have been the result of a convention of waterfowl and amphibious animals.—Chief Ya-ie-wa-noh in Our Animal Friends.

Hannibal's Many Reverses.

Hannibal was first made an exile, not, as commonly supposed, through Roman influence so much as from the personal animosity of his countrymen. After the defeat of Zama he turned his attention to the political affairs of Carthage and inaugurated a system of reform, which he carried out so rigorously that he soon found himself intensely hated by a large faction of the Carthaginians. Behind him was the hostility of the country, however, and finding he could not be served from his purpose the rogues in office attempted to assassinate him. Finding that his death had been determined on, Hannibal left Carthage, went to Tyre and thence to the dominions of Antiochus, whom he soon enlisted in war with Rome. The war proved a failure, and Antiochus was ordered to surrender Hannibal, who got news of the demand and made his escape.

Roman hatred followed him to Bithynia, and finding himself on the point of being given up he died from poison. The story that he once had a meeting at Ephesus with his old enemy, Scipio Africanus, is told on fairly good authority.

Interviewing a Public Benefit.

Many people are in the habit of complaining bitterly of the intrusion of the newspaper reporter into every nook and corner of the state and even into the privacy of home, but in this extreme publicity is really to be found a new means of social, industrial and governmental reform and progress. As Emerson said, "Light is the best policeman."

There are many exaggerations, perversions and inaccuracies in this publicity, but on the whole it is a beneficent and a new agency for the promotion of the public welfare. Publicity exposes not only wickedness, but also folly and bad judgment. It makes crime and political corruption more difficult and far less attractive. So new is this force in the world that many people do not yet trust it or perceive its immense utility.—President Eliot in Forum.

A Strong Stomach.

The foundation of a beautiful complexion is a strong stomach. The strongest stomachs are never large. Soup is the best tonic for a weak organ. Its object is stimulation, invigoration, consolation. This food, taken as an introduction for breakfast, lunch and dinner, will very soon tone up weak muscles. Nothing should be eaten with this vegetable cocktail, not even cracker crumbs. About the worst beginning for a meal is fresh bread. Throw a handful of crackers or a couple of slices of homemade bread into the best plumbed sink or tub, turn on the hot or cold water, and the circulation will be impeded.—New York Dispatch.

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The sweetest, brightest and loveliest
baby in Janesville gets \$500
from The Gazette June 1.

Whose is that baby?

"That question sounds easy."

As if there was the least doubt
whose baby is the loveliest," says
every proud mother looking at her
own olive branch. And that's the
trouble. Talk it over until Christmas
you may but never expect to get a
convention of mothers to agree on the
baby question.

For the benefit of jealous parents,
anxious aunts and uncles and proud
brothers and sisters of older growth,
however, the matter should be settled.
And settled it is to be.

How?

Why not by vote?

That plan seems the fairest and
most satisfactory—the safest too, for
who would dare judge among the hun-
dreds of dimpled darlings that grace
the Bower City. A vote will decide,
therefore, and all Janesville may cast
their ballots. Three months from the
day the polls open a \$500 block of
stock in the Rock County Building
Loan and Savings Association will be
turned over to the infant with the
strongest "drag", as politicians would
put it.

Five hundred dollars.

A handsome nest egg for any in-
fant.

Put out at interest until the little
one reaches maturity and it swells to
proportions even more impressive.
And in building association stock with
all dues paid it is in very desirable
form.

The association selected is known to
everybody in the city. These are the
officers and directors who testify to
its solidity. These are the men:

President—Samuel C. Cobb.

First Vice President—Alex. Graham.

Second Vice President—W. H. Judd.

Attorney—Charles E. Pierce.

Secretary—George L. Carrington.

Treasurer—Isaac Farnsworth.

Directors—S. C. Cobb, Alex.

Graham, Dr. William H. Judd, L. B.

Reynolds, Miss Lizzie Paterson, James

E. Fifield, George L. Carrington, E.

W. Lowell, S. B. Lewis, Archie Reid,

F. M. Marzuff, H. F. Bliss.

These officers and directors stand
behind every share of the association's
stock. Five shares of this stock is
now in the association's keeping sub-
ject to the Gazette's order. Polls will
be open in the Gazette office March 1
and will remain open until June 1.
The baby that receives the most bal-
lots in that time will receive a certi-
ficate calling for these five shares of
stock. There are no dues to be paid,
no assessments to be met, no install-
ments to provide for. The stock
stands for \$500 in cash and on its matur-
ity, which will be in
nine and one-third years,
the money will be ready. The prize
is a handsome one—it is well worth
winning and the conditions of the
ballot are as follows:

From March 1 until June 1, a cou-
pon will be printed in each issue of
The Gazette.

Any one, anywhere in any state is
entitled to vote as often as they buy a
copy of The Janesville Gazette con-
taining the above ballot.

Cut the ballot out (trimming on the
dotted lines.) Write in the name of
your candidate and enclose same in an
envelope addressed to the Ballot Editor,
Gazette, Janesville, Wis.

Only one person can be voted for on
one ballot.

The baby who receives the largest
number of votes will receive five shares
of stock in the Rock County Building
& Savings Association, cash value,
\$500 at maturity.

The contest will close June 1 at 9
p. m., and the stock will be delivered
as soon as the count of votes is com-
pleted.

Any non-subscriber who will sub-
scribe for The Gazette and pay in ad-
vance will be entitled to the following
number of ballots:

New subscriber paid in advance one
month, 100 votes.

New subscriber paid in advance two
months, 250 votes.

New subscriber paid in advance six
months, 900 votes.

New subscriber paid in advance one
year, 2,000 votes.

Each new subscriber who pays in
advance and casts the number of votes
specified is also entitled, of course, to
cut coupons from the paper from day
to day and vote in the regular man-
ner.

No person will be allowed extra
votes for stopping his paper and hav-
ing it sent to another name at the
same address.

In every instance they must be bona
fide new subscribers.

No person will be allowed to stop
his paper on Monday and start it again
Tuesday and claim the premium offer-
ed.

No votes can be transferred from
one candidate to another after being
registered in this office.

Candidates must not be more than
three years of age March 1, 1895, and
must live in Janesville.

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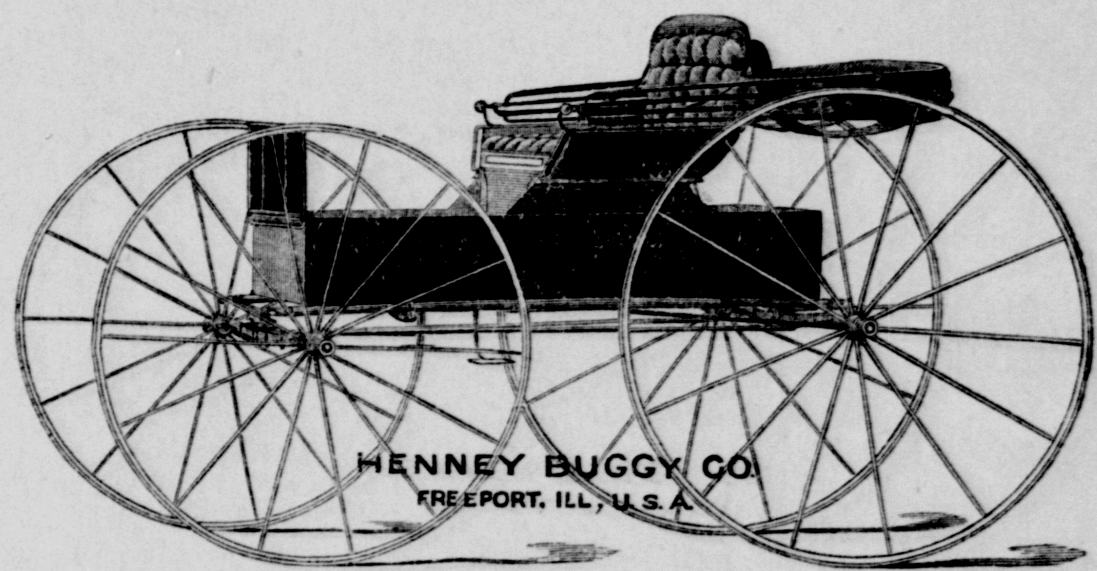
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. . Dress Goods.

Saturday we received and placed on our counters fifty-seven pieces of those Beautiful Mohair Jacquard, Crepon and Cheviot effects and other fancy weaves. Since Jan. 1, the time the new tariff prices went into effect, we have received over 200 pieces of fine Black Wool Dress Goods a large percentage of which have been purchased by the ladies of Janesville and surrounding country. Certainly we must have the representative stock, our **PRICES THE LOWEST**, and are doing the Black Dress Goods Business of the city.

Let us show you what 50 cents a yard will buy. Last fall you would have paid \$1 for the same thing and thought it cheap.

Four cases--these will be the last--of those large heavy white and grey cotton blankets at 50c a pair.

Actually worth double the cheap cotton blankets usually sold at this price.

2 Bales of all Linen Unbleached crash 5c Worth 8 cents

1 Case Children's fast Black heavy ribbed hose at 10c a pair or 3 pairs for 25c.

Look at the surprises we can show you in Black dress goods, even if you are not ready to purchase.

BORT, BAILEY & COMPANY.

ZIEGLER'S

Spring Clothing.

Newly bright and interesting this clothing store, full of proofs of the mastery we have won. Took time, we've just gotten ready, the clothing selling that's been our best wasn't worth talking about--we've talked of it precious little. But we've been at work, took months to gather the stock and last week we got ready. Thank you for your appreciation. Sales have already increased three-fold, but that's just a start.

Three Proofs Of The Readiness.

NO. 1--A long cut Black Thibet Cutaway, positively all Wool, cut very latest style **\$10**

NO. 2--A Hummer, Long cut single breast sack suits, Blue, Brown or Black **\$8**

We had the same goods last year and couldn't sell them less than \$13.50.

NO. 3--Three new Styles Spring overcoats, brown, tan and gray mixture **13.50**

We want you to see them, cut for tall slim men, stout and short men.

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